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**Comment of the day**

The great pending decision

BETWEEN now and the end of the debate there will be a thousand and one arguments for and against the historic and inevitable decision of Great Britain to enter the Common Market. They will range from the classic of the woman who didn't want her child to grow up as a young European to the half-sarcastic warning of a Labour MP that decision to join would cause the English language to lose its supremacy in international affairs.

If French does in fact become the official language of the Common Market the millions who speak English will continue to grow in numbers and influence all over the Continent (and not least in the USSR). Indeed those who cherish one of the most beautiful languages on earth will be only too happy if French has the added protection it seems to need from the new bureaucracy of Europe.

True, the British have been slow. It was right and proper—and characteristic—to drag hesitating and reluctant feet on what could have been a treacherous path taken too avidly and swiftly. The fact remains that Europe wants us in and probably in the end will not dismiss the claims for consideration of members of the Commonwealth.

There will be powerful voices beckoning the Mother Country back to the Commonwealth, which she will not have to leave anyway! Already the Canadian High Commissioner in London urges England to look to the Commonwealth for future trade—a picture of expansion and opportunity to stir the imagination. So it is and will be.

Just as the sons and daughters of all Europe will be required to give the expanding Commonwealth the people they need, so will their resources as well as ours be necessary to bring these hopes to full fruition.

Europe is, as Mr Drew rightly says, deficient in raw materials and is already populated to an extent which in itself imposes strict limitations upon growth. But Britain's entry will provide Europe with ready access to the raw materials and the newer members of the Commonwealth with greater access to the industrial products of Europe. His arguments can be turned in upon themselves to provide conclusive proof for Britain's inclusion, as an indispensable link between the old and the new countries, and between contrasting needs.

We shall be told that much of our ancient sovereignty will have to be abated. There is nothing new or fearful in this. Much has already been abated—and for the common good. But we cannot afford to turn our backs on the Common Market, to use the phrase of the Foreign Secretary. It is now becoming one of the world's greatest markets for high quality products.

There have been scathing references by the opposition to the hectic and persistent quarrels of the European peoples. The political problems, says Lord Home, would be the least serious to be overcome.

He was more pungent when he mentioned the inevitable tendency of commercial exchanges between the mother country and the Commonwealth to fail, whereas by joining the Common Market the exchanges would be certainly rise. And what is more, since Britain wants to carry with her both the Commonwealth partners and the Free Trade Area nations, matters all round ought to improve.

The classic structures of trade are undergoing great changes. Of these Hongkong itself is an example and a witness. And a basic change must be the creation of the outward look by the Common Market countries, in place of the present introversion. Asia and Africa alike are looking their way. They must reciprocate, for the age is revolutionary beyond all others.

# 'England, France—now there's only America' USSR TO OVERTAKE U.S. BY 1970

*Prediction by Khrushchev at reception*

Moscow, June 25.

Mr Khrushchev said today that the Soviet Union was now number two country in the world, but would push the United States out of first place by 1970.

**BIG RUSH SHOOTS JARDINE'S SHARES TO \$32.50**

There was a big demand for Jardine's shares when they were first quoted on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning.

About 42,000 shares, amounting to about \$1.3 million, were sold at prices ranging from \$32 to \$32½.

The business in Jardine's shares helped to bring the approximate turnover for all shares listed on the Stock Exchange this morning to about \$7,100,000.

The opening quotation for the share was \$32, then progressively \$32¼, \$32½, \$32¾ and \$32 during the morning session.

The price represents about 100 per cent increase over the selling price of \$16 when Jardine's shares were made available to the public on June 15.

## COMPARISON

In comparison, Kowloon Motor Bus shares showed an appreciation of about 52 per cent when they were first quoted in the Stock Exchange last month.

The KMB shares had been sold to the public at \$53 and opened on the first day at the Exchange at \$88. They were quoted at \$82 this morning.

A total of 722,948 Jardine's shares were sold to the public on June 15. So heavy was the demand for those shares, they were oversubscribed by 50 times.

**British FA drops action in bribery probe**

Hastings, June 25.

The Football Association said today it had dropped the question of action in the case of certain British footballers suspected of having been concerned in bribery.

The Association which has carried out a probe into the issue, said today its legal advisers felt that no action which the Association could take would be other than inconclusive and ineffectual.

Mr A. G. Boggart, chairman of the FA Council, recalled in a statement which he read during the Association's summer meeting here that on February 20 he had explained that, in close consultation with legal advisers, the Association would invite written replies to questions from a number of players who were under suspicion of being concerned with bribery.

The object was "to find out whether sufficient evidence could be obtained to justify criminal proceedings and so make possible the intervention of the Director of Public Prosecutions."

But Mr Boggart added: "The replies received were of such a nature that in the view of our legal advisers no action which the Association could take would be other than inconclusive and ineffectual." With this advice in mind the Football Association could only reaffirm its determination "at all times to take appropriate action against any breach of the rules concerning bribery which may in future come to its notice."—Reuters.

## Young & strong

"The United States is now running on its past reputation, but at the finishing line the young, fresh, strong runner will break the tape."

"Our socialist country—young, strong, organised, mobilised—is snapping at the heels of America—not silently, but saying 'Look, we are in the race. Hurry up or we shall overtake you.'"

Mr Khrushchev called for a merciless struggle against "parasites" and "spongers" who tried to make use of the "goods" created by the people. The Soviet news agency Tass reported.

"We are building our Communist house," he said. "Those who impede us in the building of this house are seized by the ear and shown up."

## Work & work

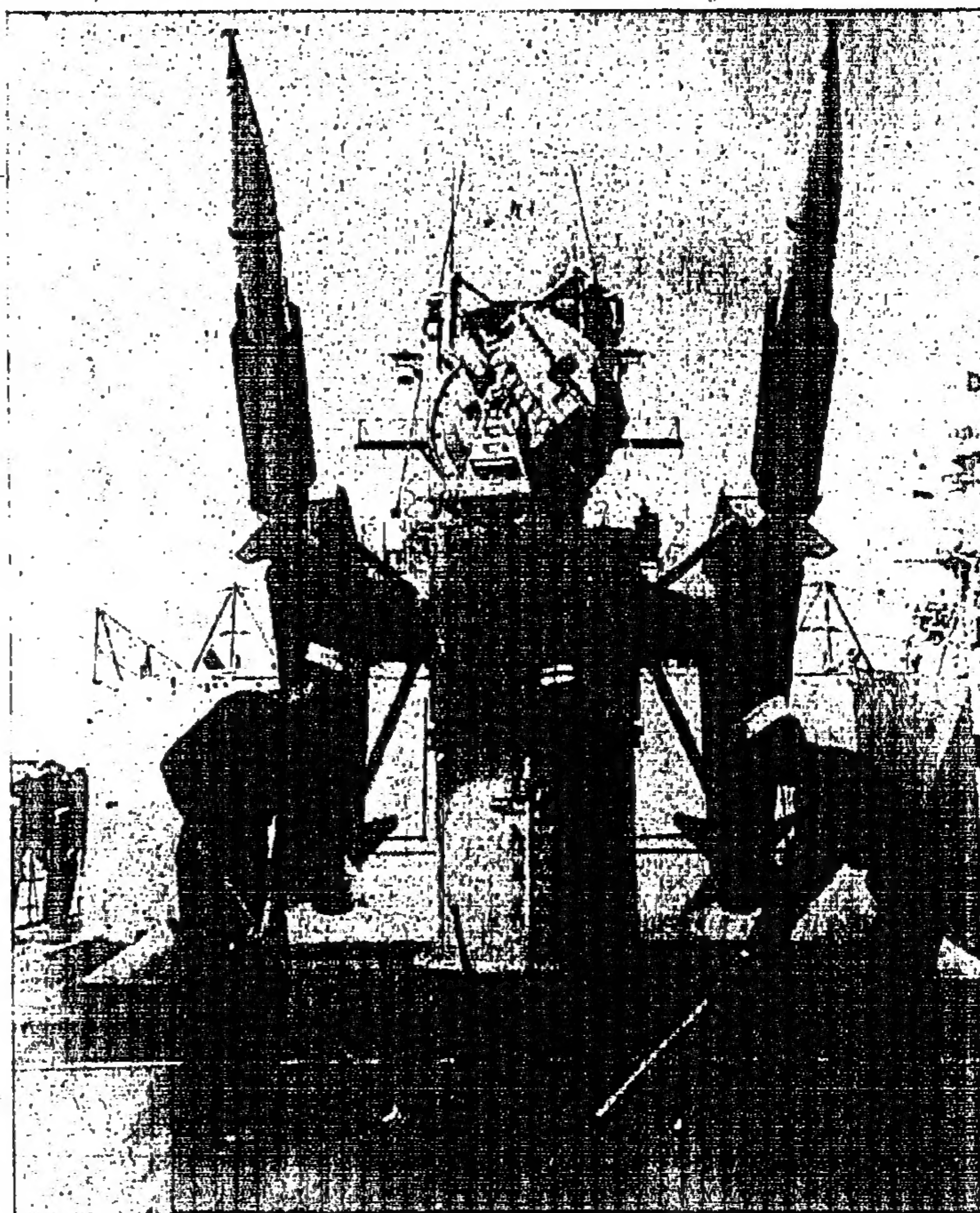
Speaking at a reception marking the 40th anniversary of the formation of the Kazakhstan Republic, he added, "I call upon you to work, work, work."

"Work alone is the source of the wealth of the society and the wealth of every man."

"We want to amass more and more so that our cup should be full and our riches grow," Mr Khrushchev continued amid stormy applause and shouts of approval.

Earlier Mr Khrushchev said the country had "achieved much" during the years of Soviet regime, "but we still have much to do. And this is the work which will bring tangible results, raising even higher the standard of living."—Reuters.

BUT THE DECKS STILL GET SCRUBBED



It's the no-limit age in which anything anyone can do, someone else can do better—except invent a deck that doesn't have to be scrubbed.

The technology which can build rockets to hit pin-

point targets round the world and put atom-splitting warheads in their noses, has still to find a way to keep the decks clean.

This picture was made under the missiles of the

rocket-armed American destroyer, Dewey, in Kiel Harbour, Germany, for Kiel Week.

The rockets can carry nuclear warheads. — AP Photo.

## Mass man-hunt for escaped convicts

London, June 25.

Police all over Britain were tonight hunting for nine convicts who yesterday made a mass break-out from Wandsworth—London's "trouble jail."

London police combed the capital's underworld, ordered to "get these men," by Scotland Yard's new chief gang-buster, Detective Chief Superintendent Ernest Miller.

Police roadblocks today surrounded London, checking on the thousands of cars pouring out in blazing sunshine to seaside resorts.

Ten men originally made the break yesterday morning, when three wardens were bound and gagged after a mock fight among prisoners attacking

mailbags at the jail.

They piled furniture up to a window, jumped into the yard outside, and used ropes to scramble over the outside wall. Smashing through the fence of a nearby bowling green, they strolled, in blue prison uniforms to a parked car and drove off.

A few hours later, one of them, 28-year-old Leslie Travis, was picked up in a north London street, a leg broken in a fall from the prison wall.

**BROKEN LEG**

A Home Office spokesman tonight said another, Thomas Smithman, also 28, had been arrested in Liverpool. He later withdrew the announcement, however, and said: "we are still making inquiries."

The nine still free are believed to have split up completely. Shortly after their escape half of them got into another car.

A passing motorist who saw them said: "I thought it was a drunken wedding party until they screamed off with the outside door swinging, and arms and legs sticking out."

Antiquated and overcrowded Wandsworth prison—more than 100 years old—has been described as the most troublesome in Britain.

Attacks on officers, violence between prisoners, sit-down strikes, and attempted escapes have been its common fare in recent months.—AFP.

## More tropical depressions

At midday a tropical depression was centred about 800 miles east of Hong-kong and was moving slowly west-northwest.

At the same time another tropical depression was centred about 250 miles southeast of Kyushu and was moving slowly north.

At 8 am tropical depression Cora had weakened to an area of low pressure, centred to the west of Hainan Island. Pressure is low over Eastern China and the Gulf of Tonkin.

## SEVEN MISSING

Istanbul, June 25. A 60-ton Turkish motor-boat sank near here today after a dynamite explosion during salvage operations for old ships.

Seven persons were reported missing following the explosion which wrecked the Algarna off Rumelieneri this afternoon. — UPI.

## IRAQ LAYS CLAIM TO NEW STATE OF KUWAIT

Bagdad, June 25.

Major-General Abdul Karim Kassam, Iraqi Prime Minister, tonight claimed that the Persian Gulf sheikhdom of Kuwait was an integral part of Iraq, and said the 1899 British treaty of protection had been "forged" for a payment of 15,000 rupees.

Britain ended her protection of the oil-rich state last Monday, and announced the signing of a treaty of friendship and consultation with Kuwait as a fully independent sovereign state.

Addressing a press conference, Major-General Kassam described this treaty as "illegitimate," and said it had been signed by "irresponsible people who are under the influence of imperialism."

## Part

Kuwait was part of the province of Basra in the former Turkish empire, he said, and Britain had recognized this both before and after the signature of the 1899 treaty.

He added: "We are in a position to obtain our rights fully, but we always keep the peace. Steps which we take initially are peaceful steps."

He also warned: "We shall extend Iraq's borders to the south of Kuwait."

Prime Minister Kassam said in a lengthy historical argument that Kuwait was part of the province of Basra, in the former Turkish empire and that the signature to the "forged treaty" of 1899 was obtained by Britain for a payment of 15,000 rupees.

The Prime Minister said: "Sons of the people" had been fighting to get rid of imperialism in Kuwait since 1913, but they were against "widely influential imperialism," while in Iraq the former regime "sold the country to imperialism."

## Support

General Kassam said a republican decree would be issued shortly appointing the present Sheikh of Kuwait as Governor of the Kuwait district of Iraq.

The Iraqi Chief of Staff and Military Governor General, General Ahmed Saleh al Abdi, said in a telegram to General Kassam, broadcast by Bagdad Radio tonight: "The entire army supports the contents of your press conference concerning imperialist conspiracies over Kuwait, which is an integral part of the eternal Iraqi Republic."

Meanwhile, observers in London said that Iraq's claim to Kuwait, if pushed, could set off a crisis among two major oil sources of the non-Communist world in the Middle East.

Both Kuwait and Iraq are large-scale producers of oil, with extensive reserves yet to be tapped.—Reuters.

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# BRITAIN SAID PLANNING TO CUT FOREIGN AID

## Heavy rainfall hits Texas

Dallas, June 25. Flash floods from torrential rains measuring up to 7½ inches today forced evacuation of families from their homes in low-lying areas of Wichita Falls and Fort Worth. At least two deaths were blamed on the floods.

Eight families were taken from their homes in Wichita Falls early today by rescue workers when flood water 3 to 4 feet deep engulfed some residential areas but from 80 to 100 families ignored warnings and chose to remain in their homes. The waters were subsiding later today.

Some residents in low-lying areas of Fort Worth left their homes as rains of up to 7½ inches sent the Trinity River out of its banks.

Flood waters at Fort Worth were due to recede during the day as the crest of the Trinity River flood moved downstream.—AP.

*'We are trying to do too much,' —Selwyn Lloyd*

London, June 25. Britain is planning cuts in its non-military aid programme, informants said today.

## Worthless bonds paid well!

Chicago, June 25. The "worthless" bonds for which Leonard Stark paid \$1 each "because they were so beautiful" yesterday were worth \$5,628.

Stark, 39, a professional coin collector, bought the 235 bonds, printed in orange and green ink in parchment's foot and a half in length, because he hoped to sell them to another collector.

They had a face value of \$285,000 but the Rockford, Rock Island and St. Louis Railroad Co. which issued them in 1903, went bankrupt in 1976.

Last year, Stark discovered a court had ordered the bankrupt railroad's assets impounded to pay any unpaid bonds. That money had been transferred to the U.S. treasury.

Yesterday, Stark and the government divided the money after advertisements failed to produce any other bondholders. Stark got \$5,628. The U.S. government, which held a \$500 bond, got \$9.85.—UPI.

Expenditure, though small by American standards, is running at a rate six times higher than Sino-Soviet aid to non-Communist countries.

Britain's aid to underdeveloped countries last year totalled £300 million—half from government funds and half from private investment.

American non-military aid in the year was 2,003 million dollars. The Sino-Soviet bloc disbursed \$50 million in non-military aid to non-Communist countries.

Britain's expenditure on foreign aid is putting pressure on the nation's resources and its balance of payments in foreign trade.

## Increase expected

Last year's expenditure was double that of three years ago and treble that of seven years ago.

Economic experts expected it to increase even further this year. But the British Government, fearing for the immediate future of sterling, has decided it is time to cut back its overseas spending.

Selwyn Lloyd, Chancellor of the Exchequer, has obviously convinced his Cabinet colleagues that the time has come for Britain to prune government expenditure overseas.

Addressing the Association of British Chambers of Commerce last week, he said:

## A limit

"We must say clearly for all to hear that a country without a satisfactory surplus on its balance of payments must not provide unlimited quantities of aid. There must be a limit to what we can do in that respect."

Besides its spending on direct grants and loans and payment for technical assistance to particular countries, amounting to £124.3 million last year, Britain contributes lavishly to international organisations which distribute multi-lateral aid.

Britain is the second largest contributor to the United Nations special fund and technical assistance programmes.

## Second largest

It makes the second largest subscription to the International Finance Corporation and the International Development Association. It is the second largest contributor to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

Lloyd told the British Chambers of Commerce: "In saying that we must reduce government overseas expenditure, I am not at all apologetic. We are trying to do too much."

"We spent our savings in two world wars to defend freedom. We have spent money out of all proportion to our resources since the war to hold the free line throughout the world."—AP.

## Boys set fire to church

Taos, June 25. There are no pigeons in the bell tower of the 50-year-old Taos Catholic Church in New Mexico today.

Four small boys set fire to a piece of cardboard in the bell tower yesterday to drive out the pigeons.

The \$75,000 blab destroyed the church tower and roof and heavily damaged the interior, but foot-thick adobe walls were credited with preventing further damage.—UPI.

## Katanga's frontiers with Congo removed

Leopoldville, June 25. The Congolese government-controlled radio said today that President Moïse Tshombe of Katanga had signed an agreement removing the frontiers between his state and the rest of the Congo.

Mr Tshombe signed the agreement with Mr Joseph Ileo, Prime Minister of the Central Government, before he returned home yesterday to Elisabethville after nearly two months as a prisoner of the Leopoldville regime, the radio said.

## AGREED

The radio also said Katanga had agreed to give up her own currency sooner or later and resume shipping her mineral wealth through the Congo instead of through the Portuguese colony of Angola.

The agreement also covered educational and military matters, the radio added.

At a press conference here on Thursday, President Tshombe announced he had been released and had agreed to work together with his brothers of the former Belgian Congo to make "a very great country."—Reuter.

## Canada's first pilot dies

Montreal, June 25. John McCurdy, 74, the man who pioneered flight in Canada, died early today of leukemia in Montreal's Royal Victoria Hospital.

McCurdy had been in the hospital since April. A former Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, he was more famous as the pilot of the Silver Dart, Canada's first aircraft. He made the first near-Baldwin, Nova Scotia, in 1909.—UPI.

## Three killed in Algerian rebel attacks

Oran, June 25. Three persons were killed in scattered Algerian rebel terrorist attacks here today.

The dead were a Moslem shot dead in a barber shop; a European, Antoine Hernandez 60, shot and killed in the Moslem quarter; and Amar Adouchi, 41, whose body was found on Boulevard Joseph Andreu one of the city's main thoroughfares.

A rebel unit opened fire with machine guns on an ambulance outside the civil prison near the Moslem quarter. The vehicle swerved out of control and smashed into the prison wall. The driver was seriously injured. Two other persons were reported in serious condition.

## TWO BLASTS

Two explosions shook Oran today. The first occurred when a rebel terrorist tossed a hand grenade in the Rue Mohammed Fekir. Later a plastic charge blew up in front of the home of an assistant to a maritime official. There were no injuries.

Meanwhile, in Algiers, police announced the arrest today of a man believed to be one of the leaders of the OAS (Organisation for a secret army) extreme right-wing movement. He was identified as Victor Point, 32.

Police said large stocks of the plastic explosive favoured by right-wing extremists were found in Point's home.

Following the explosions and the shootings, police cordoned off the European city from the Moslem quarters to prevent clashes between the two communities.

Ten Moslems suspected of being members of the FLN (National Liberation Front) were arrested by police and charged with taking part in the incidents.—UPI.

## SOCIALISTS NEW HOME POLICY

Ayr, June 25. Mr Harold Wilson, the Labour Party's principal economic spokesman, said here today that the party's new home policy statement—due for issue next week—would be "a real Socialist document."

In a steady downpour of rain, he told an audience of about 100 here he thought the Labour Party was facing the future in far better heart

than at any time since the last general election. "What we have got to talk about now is socialism," he declared.—Reuter.

## 'Kontiki'—army style

Nicosia, June 25. Six British military policemen and a black kitten will set off tomorrow on their own "Kontiki" expedition—from the north-west coast of Cyprus to Turkey aboard a home-made raft, powered only by wind and tide.

The scheme, which comes under the heading of army "adventure" training, is expected to take between two days and two weeks. The men hope to live off fish they catch en route and the 40 gallons of fresh water aboard their raft.—UPI.

## Britain's hot sun brings out the bikinis

London, June 25. Blue skies and blazing sunshine brought out the bikinis in Britain's seaside resorts, swimming pools and lidos today, and car owners made it their biggest motoring day on record.

The Royal Automobile Club announcing the motoring record, reported in the late evening that 50,000 cars on hour were crawling back into London and suburban towns on 22 main routes. During the morning 10,000 cars an hour left London for sea and countryside.

## CONTRAST

In contrast to Scotland, where roads were almost deserted England basked in temperatures of up to 85 degrees.

There were traffic jams up to 10 miles long on many coastal roads during the afternoon and they culminated in a RAC report in the evening of a double lane 15-mile queue of cars on the main Folkestone to London road.

Several resorts crowded with thousands of weekend holiday-makers were able to boast over 14 hours' sunshine.

The heat caused numerous car breakdowns and it was so hot on a section of the road between Maidstone and London that sand kept for ice on the roads was used to combat melting tar.—Reuter.

## Ikeda arrives in Ottawa

Ottawa, June 25. Prime Minister Hayato Ikeda of Japan arrived in Ottawa this afternoon for what he called an "all too short" 24 hours visit before returning home. He flew in from New York aboard a Canadian Department of Transport plane in the company of Canadian Ambassador to Tokyo F. Bull.

As they alighted from the plane, Mr and Mrs Ikeda were greeted by Mr and Mrs John Diefenbaker.—AFP.

## LEARNING THE HARD WAY

Edinburgh, June 24. Mr John Profumo, the War Minister, bedded down for tonight under canvas with Territorial Army battalions he visited today at Barry Camp, near Carnoustie.

The Minister who camped out at his own request—had normal army officer's equipment—a 100 pounds weight tent with flysheet, iron bedstead, mattress, four blankets—but no sheets—one pillow, folding chair, tin basin and storm-lamp.—China Mail Special.

## QUEEN FABIOLA LOSES

Brussels, June 25. Belgians were surprised tonight by an announcement by the Royal Palace that Queen Fabiola was not expecting a baby "in the near future."

The country had buzzed with speculation about a possible date after Pope John's controversial disclosure on June 9 that the 33-year-old Queen was anticipating "a happy event."

Tonight's announcement—the first formal statement by the Palace on the subject—said the Queen's health was not causing any disquiet, and that she would be "completely recovered" in a few days.

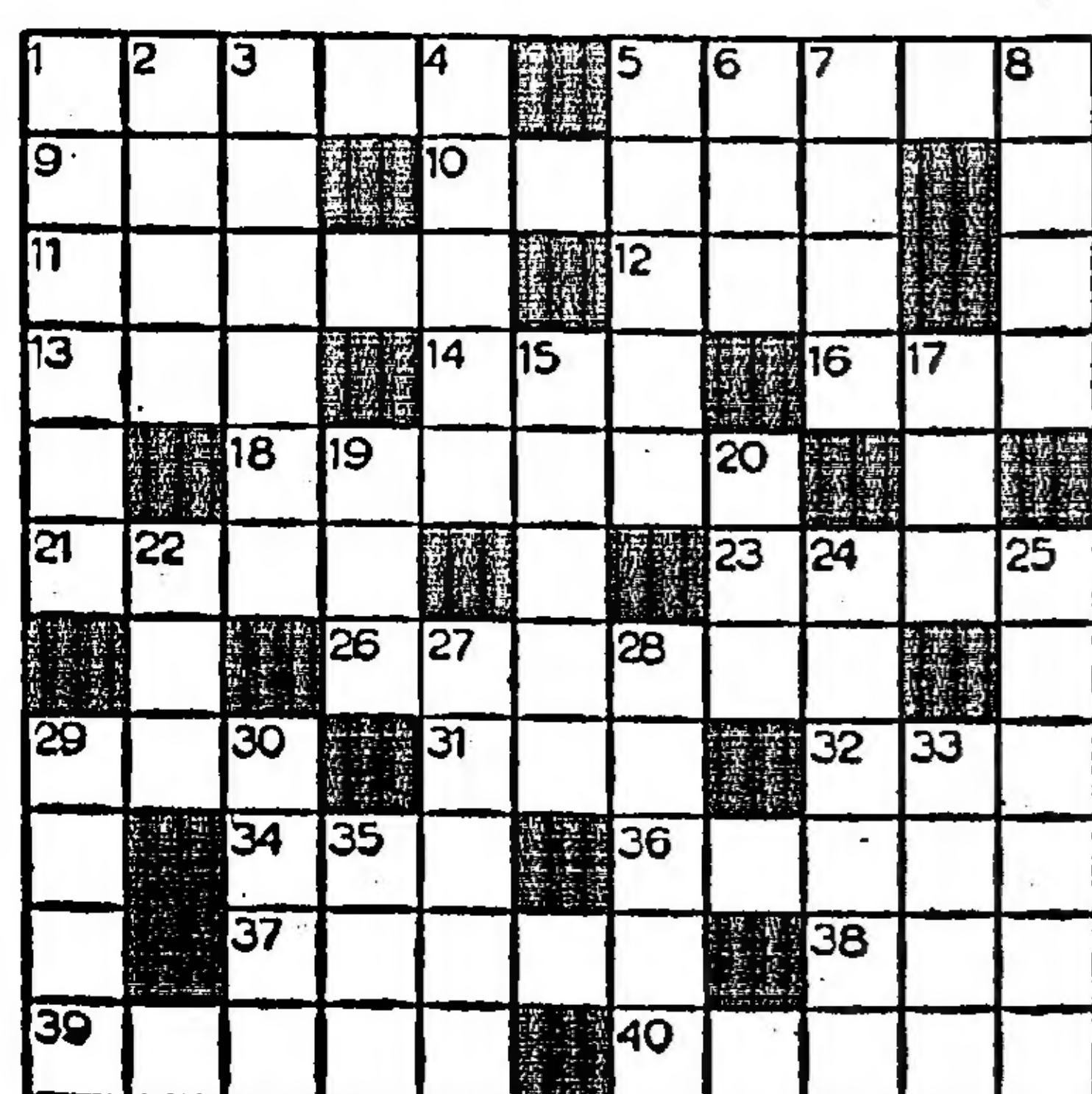
## HER BABY

A communique from the Grand Marshal of the Palace said: "Contrary to what had been hoped, a happy event should not be expected at the Royal castle in the near future."

The state of health of the Queen gives rise to no concern. Her Majesty will have recovered completely within several days."

The veiled terms of the communique left no doubt that Queen Fabiola had miscarried. Rumours to this effect had been rife here in recent days.—Reuter & AFP.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS  
1 Fix wages!  
5 Naggish creature?  
9 Member.  
10 Proportion.  
11 Orphan?  
12 Hoo-ha.  
13 Shade.  
14 Hazel?  
15 Pieces.  
16 Festival.  
21 Varyety.  
22 And gables?  
23 Construct.  
29 Beverage.  
31 Deposit.  
32 Pasture.  
33 Old priest.  
37 Coloured police woman?  
38 Not now.  
39 Rips.  
40 Ascended.

DOWN  
1 Opens up.  
2 Baby fr?  
3 Send in.  
4 Birds in uniform!  
5 Express.  
6 Concealed.  
7 Space.  
8 Caution.  
15 Just say the word!  
17 Slip up.  
19 Tucked in.  
20 It's vermin.  
22 Individual.  
24 Put out.  
25 Unexpected.  
27 Bellows.  
28 Treo.  
29 Run.  
30 Mater's name?  
33 River.  
35 Organ.

SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 3 Wastrel, 7 Tie-pin, 8 Nettles, 9 Grow, 11 Alias, 12 Verse, 13 Whet, 16 Rear, 17 Haste, 18 Seam, 19 Bids, 21 Cruises, 23 Launch, 29 Sea-gull, Down: 1 Stern, 2 Douglas, 3 White, 4 Anow, 5 Tottered, 6 Lesser, 10 Rattling, 11 Aha, 13 Reasons, 14 Bam, 15 Whacks, 16 Elsal, 18 Doll, 20 Ache.

## Woman sought in US for murder of child

Buffalo, June 25. The bound and gagged body of a three-year-old boy, third child kidnapped by an attractive brunet woman in two months, was found floating in a lake today in 300-acre Delaware Park.

Blond, blue-eyed Andrew T. Ashley was the first child to die at the hands of the apparently deranged woman, described as slender, from 30 to 35 years old, with a pony-tail hairdo.

The two children previously abducted while playing outside were found bound and gagged. One had a plastic bag over his head, but it was not tight enough to cause suffocation.

FBI agents were aiding in the investigation.

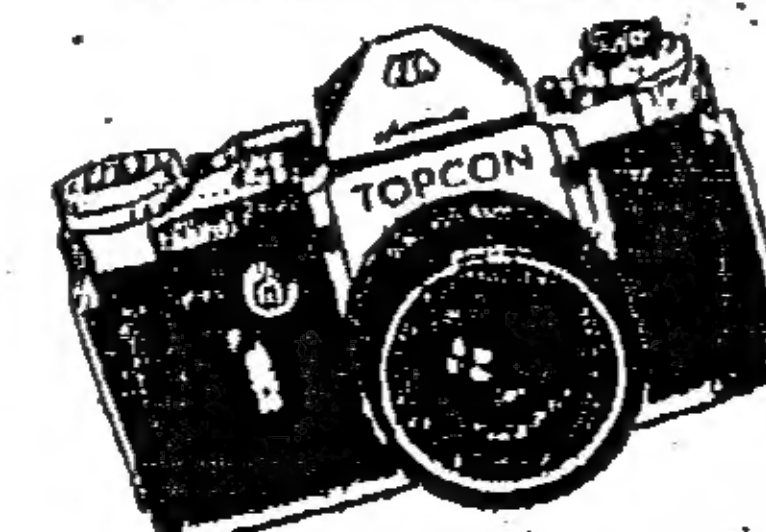
National Guard Lt. Robert Kawczynski, participating in a massive search for the Ashley boy who vanished in Friday, spotted his body floating face down a few feet from the shore this afternoon. Kawczynski waded into the water and brought the body to shore. The boy's hands were tied

behind his back with women's stockings. His feet were tied at the ankles, also with stockings. A white cloth gag, knotted at the back of his head, was in his mouth.

Guardmen took the body to the morgue where medical examiner James Creighton scheduled an autopsy to determine the cause of death.—UPI.

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Malayan newsletter from Gregory Wong

## BLACK MAGIC AND POLITICS IN MALAYA

Kuala Lumpur (By Airmail).  
The leader of the People's Progressive Party, Mr  
D. R. Seenivasagam, an opposition MP, is  
looking for an expert who can fight black  
magic which someone is practising against  
him.

This follows the discovery, in  
front of his house in Ipoh of a  
small image of a man with rusty  
pins stuck all over its body, head  
and limbs.

The image, made of a sub-  
stance which looked like hard-  
ened flour or clay, is about eight  
inches long. Ten pins were  
stuck into it. Its head, arms  
and legs had been twisted deli-  
berately.

A Siamese temple priest said  
that it was "very black magic  
indeed." But he told the politi-  
cian that he was not in a  
position to counter the spell al-  
though he had put the image in  
a tightly shut tin and prayed  
over it to keep it from becoming  
"effective."

The politician has been told  
by friends that the spell is so  
serious that whoever made it up  
must have intended death or  
serious disability like paral-  
ysis.

Meanwhile, a Thai professor  
of psychology, at the Nanyang  
University in Singapore, has  
said that black magic would not  
work if it was aimed against the  
total code.

**ONLY PSYCHOLOGY!**  
He said that the efficacy of  
magic or lucky numbers lies in  
the concentration of the mind  
on the subject.

"The people who practise  
black magic are in fact practising  
psychology without knowing it,"  
said Prof. Amorn Montri.

He added that it was more  
effective in countries where  
people believed in it than in  
countries where people did not.

He said that deaths were not  
the results of black magic but  
poison. Such poisons were  
usually the slow acting type.

But despite Prof. Montri's  
opinions, Mr. Seenivasagam is  
still looking for a black magic  
expert to counter the spell—just  
in case.

★ ★ ★  
The proposed economic  
and cultural co-operation  
agreement between the  
three Southeast Asian  
states—Malaya, the  
Philippines and Thailand  
—seems to be much  
closer to realisation after  
nearly two years of  
planning and name  
changing.

When it was first conceived  
by Malaya's Prime Minister,  
Tengku Abdul Rahman, and  
President Garcia of the Philip-  
pines, they decided to call the  
regional organisation Sasefet  
(Southeast Asian, Friendship  
and Economic Treaty).

Although it was far from the  
truth, many people questioned  
whether Sasefet was not in fact  
the economic arm of Western  
defence alliance of Sase. In  
any case the name Sasefet drew  
very poor response from neigh-  
bouring countries except Thailand.

So eventually the name was  
changed to Asas (Association of  
Southeast Asian States) but  
then countries began to ask if  
this was not going to be a mili-  
tary alliance of some sort.

Now the name Asas (Economic  
and Cultural Co-operation  
Agreement) has been evolved  
for the regional organisation and  
this name is likely to be main-  
tained as it specifies what the  
organisation hoped to achieve in  
the first place.

★ ★ ★  
At last the two-year-old propo-  
sals seem to be getting off the  
ground.

in the Federation — is  
planning to stop the  
entry of the central  
government's Social Wel-  
fare Lottery tickets into  
the State.

The Deputy Chief Minister of  
the State, Haji Mohamed bin  
Rais, said that his government  
considered that the social wel-  
fare lottery was "a game of  
chance" and was therefore for-  
bidden by Islam.

Although the Director of Re-  
ligious Studies at the great  
Moslem university in Cairo said  
that the sale of lottery tickets  
was not gambling, Haji  
Mohamed said that his govern-  
ment was of a different opinion.

Now the Kelantan Council of  
Religious Affairs has forbidden  
the erection of mosques and re-  
ligious schools with grants from  
the Social Welfare Lotteries  
Board.

The council is now investigat-  
ing the number of mosques and  
schools which have already been  
built with Lotteries Board  
grants.

When this is completed the  
council will study whether to  
pull down these buildings built  
out of the "profits of gambling."

★ ★ ★  
To help solve the acute  
unemployment problem  
in Singapore, the Govern-  
ment is to send a two-  
men delegation to  
Europe, the U.S. and  
Australia to interest  
shipping circles in em-  
ploying Singapore seamen.

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Meanwhile the government is  
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become proficient in seafaring.

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in a pool being held in  
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U.S.I.S. library here.

One-third of those invited to  
vote have replied and no presi-  
dent is leading so far. Most of  
the replies seem to prefer the  
name "U.S.I.S. Library."

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is Abraham Lincoln with George  
Washington running third.

**CROSSWORD**

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—(London Express Service).

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Press-Radio Bible Service,  
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## 'Just press and cross' plan for busy roads

London.  
Push-button street crossings,  
with warning lights  
operated by pedestrians,  
are to be used in a  
12-month experiment  
starting early next year.

Some features of the zebra  
crossing will be retained.  
But the amber beacon globe  
will be painted with black  
horizontal stripes, and the  
black and white zebra  
markings will be altered  
from rectangles to chevrons.  
The Transport Ministry will  
try out 50 of the new cross-  
ings in England and Wales—  
about half at places where  
there are no crossings at  
present.

The new type of crossing is  
expected to be superior to  
the zebra crossing where  
heavy pedestrian traffic has  
to be controlled by the  
police. — London Express  
Service.

**TARGET**

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once only. Each word must  
contain the large letter and  
there must be at least one  
letter word in the list. No plurals;  
no proper names. TODAY'S TARGET: 10  
words, good: 27 words, excellent  
solution tomorrow.

**NATURAL DISASTERS:**  
Astonishingly, at least one  
earthquake has been reported  
in each of the last 24 hours.  
The most recent was a 5.0  
quake near the coast of  
California. The last major  
quake was a 7.0 quake near  
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## The food faddist

Personally, I've never been very fond of food with my  
mouth—preferring to toy daintily with a glass while  
others wear out their fangs on genuine 16-oz steaks.

However, I concede unto  
others their just right to torture  
their innards with whatever  
indigestibles they fancy—with  
one exception—and that is  
spaghetti and the rest of the  
noodle tribe.

Devotees of this fodder which  
Marco Polo allegedly introduced  
to Europe after his travels  
through Cathay, never seem  
able to deal with the wretched  
stuff with any semblance of  
silence and propriety.

They hiss and swoosh like  
monstrous vacuum cleaners and  
frequently get thoroughly  
tangled up in the strands. I  
swear that I've seen absent-  
minded women knitting noodles  
into a sweater as they mistook  
the confounded threads for their  
skein of wool.

**AND MUSIC**  
In most spaghetti joints these  
days, they have either live or  
piped-in music. This is usually  
drowned out by the gluttonous  
customers and is an obvious  
waste of money on the part of  
the proprietor. It would be far  
better for them to go out and  
get some tapes of a pile-driver  
and play them at full volume in  
competition with the gourmets.

If I were a dictator, I'd put a  
mileage tax on spaghetti and  
noodles. After all, it's only  
1,760 yards and a mile can  
easily slash away a couple of  
miles at a sitting. I suppose  
you could call them table d'hôte  
hogs.

The only reason I can imagine  
for the linear measurements of  
spaghetti and noodles, is that  
scissors hadn't been invented  
previously.

**FOR PROTECTION**  
At some of the dumps in Rome,  
the waiters actually have scissors.  
These are most probably for self  
protection as the mazes of  
spaghetti reaches from table to  
table like vines and creepers in  
the jungle.

And Alan McGilvray, Summariser:  
R. Bird, Norman Yardley, and  
Jack Fingleton.

**COMMERCIAL RADIO**  
(1961, 133Kc)  
12 Noon, Luncheon Rendezvous;  
1.15 pm, News and Weather; 1.30,  
Luncheon Rendezvous; 2.00, Con-  
quest of the Day; 2.45, Interlude; 3. For  
the Ladies—by Mary Collins; 4. Key-  
board Medley; 4.30, News and  
Children's Corner—with Auntie  
Ma; 5. Classical Concert; 5.30,  
Compo Time; 6. News; 6.15, Hong-  
kong Stock Exchange Closing Rates;  
Music from Decca Blue Room; 6.30,  
The 11 Club—by Nick Kendall; 7.  
News Headlines, Cleopatra Strings  
and Percussion; 7.15, Piano Recital;  
7.30, Around the Cracker Barrel; 8.  
News and Weather; 8.15, Music in  
the Air; 8.30, News and Weather;  
Headlines, Old Time Dance Music;  
9.15, Radio Report—by John Wallace;  
News in English; 9.30, Song Parade  
—by John Bow; 9.45, Chinese Goss-  
ip; 10.00, News; 10.15, Piano Play-  
back; 10.30, Concert of Music; 11.00,  
News and Weather; 11.15, Music  
Midnight, News Headlines, Music  
Close.

**REDIFFUSION**  
12.30 pm, Local Question Mark (repeat);  
12.30 pm, Local Quiz; Paul Fen-  
ple (Repeat); 1.15, News  
and Weather; 1.30, Luncheon Club;  
2.00, Melody Time; 4. Tea Dance; 4.30,  
Children's Corner; 5.00, News;  
5.15, John Turner's Family; 5.25, Pro-  
gramme Highlights; 5.30, Requests—  
by Tony Mayle; 6. Anytime; 6.15,  
with Mike Elery; 7. Naturalist; 7.15,  
Music by Mantovani; 7.45, Voice Of  
Sport—by Jack Sloan; 8.00, News;  
Weather; 8.15, Radio Doctor; 8.30,  
The local storm warning service—by  
Dr J. E. M. Watt; 8.30, Stars On  
Wings; 9. "We're in Business"; 9.30,  
Birthdays and Anniversaries; 9.35, A  
Many Splendours—Tuning; 10.  
Swing! Shepard; 11. Stop Press;  
11.05, Date in Dreamland; 11.15,  
Cricket—Second Test—England  
Australia (on TV Sound Channel  
D); Midnight, Close.

**TELEVISION**  
5 pm, Jungle Jim; 5.25, Cartoons;  
5.30, Pony Express; 5.35, Close; 7.25,  
News in English; 7.30, Song Parade  
—by John Bow; 8. News (Chinese)  
Commentary; 8.15, Chinese Goss-  
ip; 8.30, News; 8.45, Movie Maga-  
zine—by John Bow; 9.00, Men of  
Sport—by Les Watling; 9.15, News  
(English) Commentary; 9.30, Can-  
tonese Feature; 11. Late Night Final,  
News Headlines, Weather; And An-  
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## STRIKERS WHO LOST £1,000,000 DEMAND INQUIRY

London.

Strikers and union officials who were blamed  
for losing orders  
worth £1,000,000 de-  
manded an inquiry  
into their firm's labour  
relations.

They were angry about rag-  
gedness at the month-long  
strike at the Pressed Steel  
company's works at Swindon in  
April were "Communist in-  
spired."

An Amalgamated Engineering  
Union official at the works said:  
"This is the usual smear thrown  
at us. There is no truth that  
the disputes were provoked or  
inspired by Communist agitators."  
"The shop stewards and union  
members generally, at the fac-  
tory, are a good-tempered,  
sober-minded body of men. I  
know of no Communist among  
the shop stewards."

He said the unofficial strike  
for a 9d.-an-hour pay rise was  
justified—but we found a little  
spirit of compromise or willing-  
ness by the firm to co-operate.  
"It is time there was a Minis-  
try of Labour inquiry into the  
labour conditions at this fac-  
tory."

Only 1,100 of the 1,200 men  
sacked by the firm during the  
stoppage have been taken back—  
"on a selective basis." Many are  
still without jobs. Others have  
had to move to find work else-  
where.

**'In fear'**  
One worker said: "Those who  
have been taken back, particu-  
larly shop stewards, are living  
in fear in case the axe falls  
again."

All were unanimous in throw-  
ing a large part of the blame for  
the stoppage on the "Works  
management and its refusal to  
show elementary good will."  
One of the men still un-  
employed said: "I have worked  
at eight factories in the last 30  
years. The Pressed Steel Com-  
pany has the worst labour re-  
lations I have ever experienced."

"Conditions at the factory are  
unbelievably primitive and re-  
mind me of pre-war days."

Forty-six-year-old Kenneth  
Health, a toolmaker who starts  
a new job at Luton, Bedford-  
shire, said: "There will never be  
anything but disputes at Pressed  
Steel. The sooner there is an  
inquiry the better for all  
concerned."

A spokesman for Pressed Steel  
confirmed that the strike had  
lost the company orders from  
Ford worth £1,000,000. "We  
could not comply with delivery  
dates," he said. No serious re-  
dundancy was expected in the  
near future.

He refused to comment on  
criticism of the firm's labour  
relations.  
A Ford spokesman said orders  
placed with Pressed Steel were  
cancelled and given to German  
and American factories.  
—(London Express Service).

**Three grab watches**  
Three youths drove a car  
on to the pavement in Regent-  
street, London, threw a ham-  
mer at a jeweller's window,  
and stole 20 gold watches  
worth £2,000.  
—(London Express Service).

## MAIL Notices

The latest times of posting shown  
below are those for unregistered  
correspondence and parcels are  
generally one hour earlier than the times  
shown at GPO, Hongkong. The latest  
posting times elsewhere which, in  
general, are earlier than the GPO  
times can be ascertained by enquiry  
at the local office.

The latest posting times for regis-  
tered articles are generally one hour  
earlier than the GPO times shown  
below under the heading "Letter  
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Dates and times shown below are  
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(Letter Mail) Noon, 6 pm (Parcel  
Mail) 11 am, 5 pm; Sunday (Letter  
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**COUNTRIES FOR OTHER**  
**MONDAY, JUNE 26**  
By Air  
Philippines, Guam, Australia, New  
Zealand, Fiji (Letter Mail) Noon;  
Iran (Letter Mail) Noon; Burma,  
Germany, Africa, Great Britain  
(Letter Mail) Noon; Cambodia (Letter  
Mail) 1 pm; Thailand, Vietnam,  
Laos, Malaya, North Borneo, In-  
donesia (Letter Mail) 1 pm (Parcel  
Mail) Noon; Japan, Hawaii, USA,  
N.C. & America (Letter Mail) 4  
pm (Parcel Mail) 3 pm; Canada  
(Letter Mail) Noon, 6 pm (Parcel  
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Formosa (Letter Mail) Noon.

**Chandos attacks**  
**mushroom firms**  
Industrialist Lord Chandos hit  
out at mushroom firms who  
turn out shoddy electrical gad-  
gets.  
Many new producers, deluded by  
the boom conditions of 1959,  
were now finding how much  
technical effort was necessary  
for lasting success, he said at  
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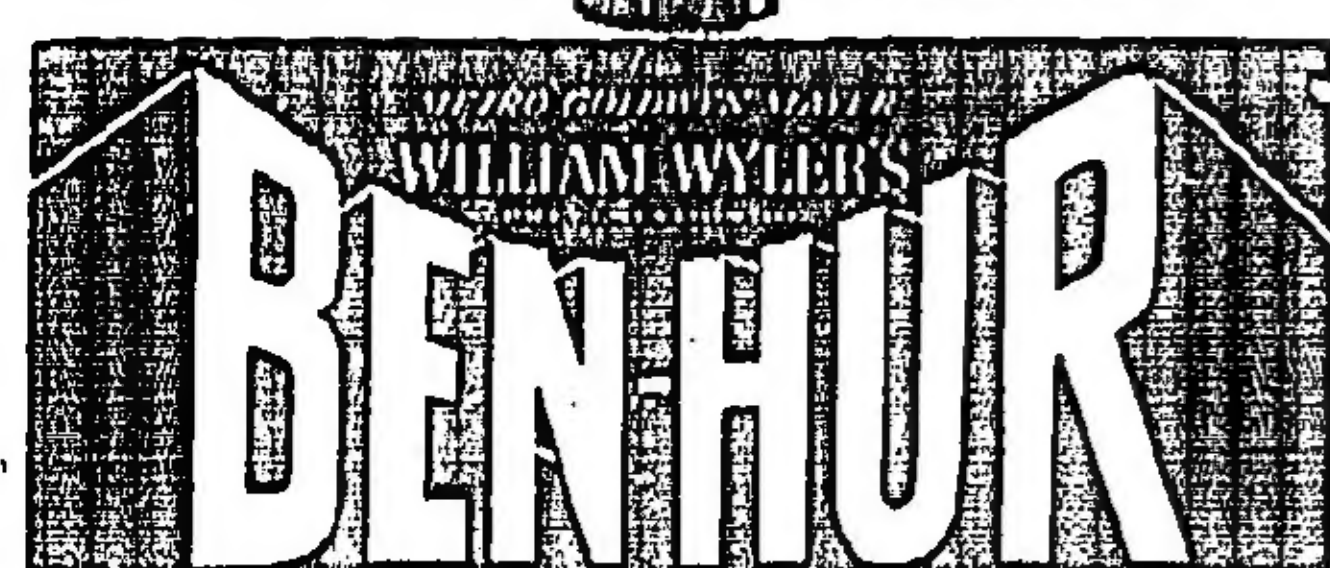
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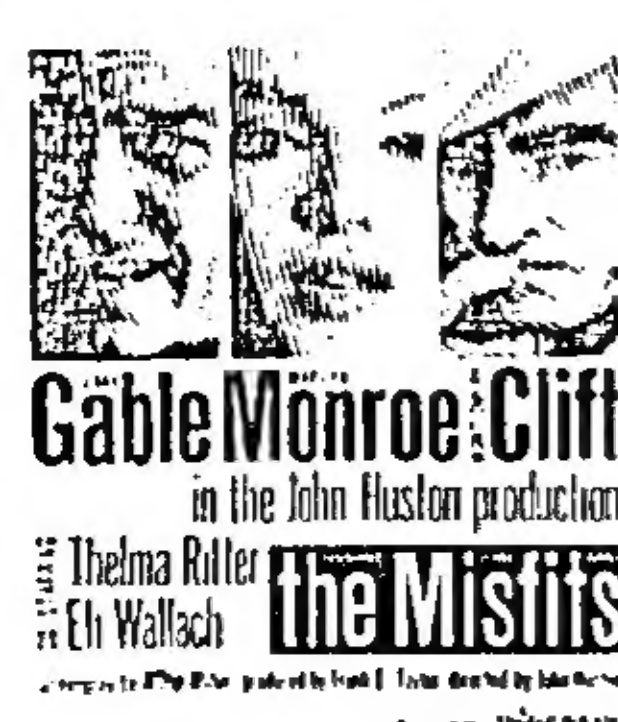
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**West Indies complain  
about colour bar  
in UK Railways**

London, June 24.

The West Indies Commission in Britain is to approach Dr Richard Beeching, British Railway's Chairman, about allegations of a colour bar in hiring porters for London's Paddington Station, a West Indies spokesman said. He said this after Sir Grantley Adams, Prime Minister of the West Indies, had called on Mr Ernest Marples, British Transport Minister, yesterday morning.

Earlier this week, Mr Marples said in a written reply to questions by United Kingdom Members of Parliament that the Chairman of the Transport Commission had assured him that it was the policy that no colour bar should apply in engaging employees.

**OFFICIAL POLICY**

The West Indian spokesman said that Mr Marples had written to Sir Grantley Adams, there was no discrimination so far as official policy was concerned and that about 1,200 West Indian workers were employed in various capacities in the western region of the railways.

The spokesman said Mr Marples yesterday reiterated this and said a minister had no day-to-day control of management but he had drawn the allegations to the attention of the railways authorities.—China Mail Special.

**Ireland's  
week-long  
ceremonies  
end**

Dublin, June 25.

Ireland's week-long commemorations of the 15th centenary of St Patrick's death ended today in a riot of colour and sweltering sunshine in Dublin's biggest sports arena.

In the most impressive ceremony of a week of ceremonies the Papal legate, Cardinal Gregory Agagianian, offered the concluding pontifical high mass at a glass-covered high altar in the centre of the crowded football stadium.

Some 60,000 worshippers silently followed the long service kneeling on the terraces and in the stands ringing the bagged field at Croke Park.

**A SALUTE**

They included nurses in their uniforms, others in white shirts and yellow berets, their colour mingling with the scarlet robes of the six Cardinals present, the purple robes of scores of Archbishops and Bishops, the grey and black cloaks of abbots and other dignitaries.

At the most solemn moment of the mass, army trumpeters sounded a salute and at the conclusion when the procession of prelates was moving off 40 army officers with drawn swords supplied a guard of honour.—China Mail Special.

**Movie marriage**

Los Angeles, June 25. Actress Joanna Barnes, 28, married actor Lawrence Dobkin, 41, at the Ambassador Hotel yesterday.

Miss Barnes has appeared in many film and TV supporting roles, her latest in "Parent Trap." Dobkin co-starred in the movie "Geronimo." Both have been divorced once.—AP.

**Beverly Aadland  
weds, begins  
'whole new life'**

Las Vegas, June 25.

Beverly Aadland, one-time constant companion of the late Errol Flynn, was beginning what she described as "a whole new life" here today after her marriage last night to Maurice De Leon, a 22-year-old Los Angeles draughtsman.

Beverly, now 18 and a professional singer, was married at the Silver Bell Wedding Chapel on the outskirts of this desert gambling resort by the Rev. Thomas J. Daley, a Lutheran minister who described her as "just a sweet little thing—no divorces or anything."

The Rev. Daley told reporters after the ceremony: "I think Errol Flynn was with her in spirit so she could get a start some day. Entertainers are like that, you know."

Beverly had to wait 24 hours to get married, until papers arrived from Los Angeles certifying her age. The bridegroom works as a draughtsman and industrial designer for \$375 (£200) a month for the Los Angeles Board of Education.

Beverly was with Errol Flynn when he died of a heart attack in Vancouver last year at the age of 50.—Reuter.

**Former woman  
governor dies**

Austin, Texas, June 25. Mrs Miriam A. Ferguson, twice governor of Texas and one of the United States' first women governors, died here today. She was 80.

Mrs Ferguson, called "Ma" by friends and foes alike, shared honours with Mrs Nellie Tayloe Ross of Wyoming for the honour of being the nation's first woman governor.—AP.

**Minister  
gives up  
protest  
march**

London, June 25.

A 38-year-old Baptist minister today gave up outside Chequers, the official country residence of the Prime Minister, near Princes Risborough, southern England, a protest march against what he claims are Portuguese "atrocities" in Angola.

The Reverend Walter Bailey, Baptist Minister at Longton, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, who covered the first 12 miles of his march in bare feet, claimed to have walked 125 miles in three days.

At Chequers he found Mr Harold Macmillan, the Prime Minister, was not in residence and so ended his march. He was returning home by train.—Reuter.

**Tailors  
hit at  
low  
wages**

London, June 24.

Delegates at a union conference were told in Scarborough, Yorkshire, of an Italian tailor in Britain, who was paid £3.10s a week by an employer charging between £30 and £42 for a suit.

Delegates, who were told that their union had rectified the matter, also heard about another Italian tailor who had to take home work at night and at weekends to get a decent living wage.

The conference was that of the 115,000-strong National Union of Tailors and Garment Workers.

**REGULATIONS**

It approved a resolution urging the union's executive to seek talks with Britain's Labour minister, Mr John Hare about the regulations governing entry of foreign workers into the garment industry.

The resolution said the conference was not opposed to foreign labour but was worried about the springing up of agencies involved in importing labour while making no provisions to safeguard wages, conditions and hours of work.

The General Secretary of the Union, Mr John Newton warned delegates that if Britain entered the European Common Market they would have to be prepared to accept foreign labour.—China Mail Special.

**Footbridge  
tested**

Doncaster, June 25.

Forty men of Britain's Territorial (Reserve) Army, went on a two-hour route march today—and covered less than 100 yards.

They were called in to test a 200-foot bridge over the new £8 million 12½-mile-long Doncaster By-Pass for vibration and deflection.

For two hours the soldiers marched backwards and forwards across the bridge at varying speeds.

Engineers below took readings on a vibrograph as the bridge shivered under the pounding of three tons of bone and muscle.—Reuter.

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I HAVE TO  
SUCH MY WAY  
UP FEET AND  
SHOULDERS  
PRESSING AGAINST  
THE SIDES...**James Bond**

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BUT CAN I HOLD OUT OVER THE  
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FIFTY YARDS!**James Bond**

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ON THE DARK SHORE, MONEY  
IS STAKED OUT WHERE THE  
LAND GRABS MARCH...**James Bond**

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SO LONG, SWEETHEART!  
THEY'LL BE COMIN' SOON—AN'  
THEIR RIGHT HUNGRY CRITTERS!**James Bond**

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JAMES, JAMES... WHAT'S  
HAPPENING TO  
YOU...?**James Bond**

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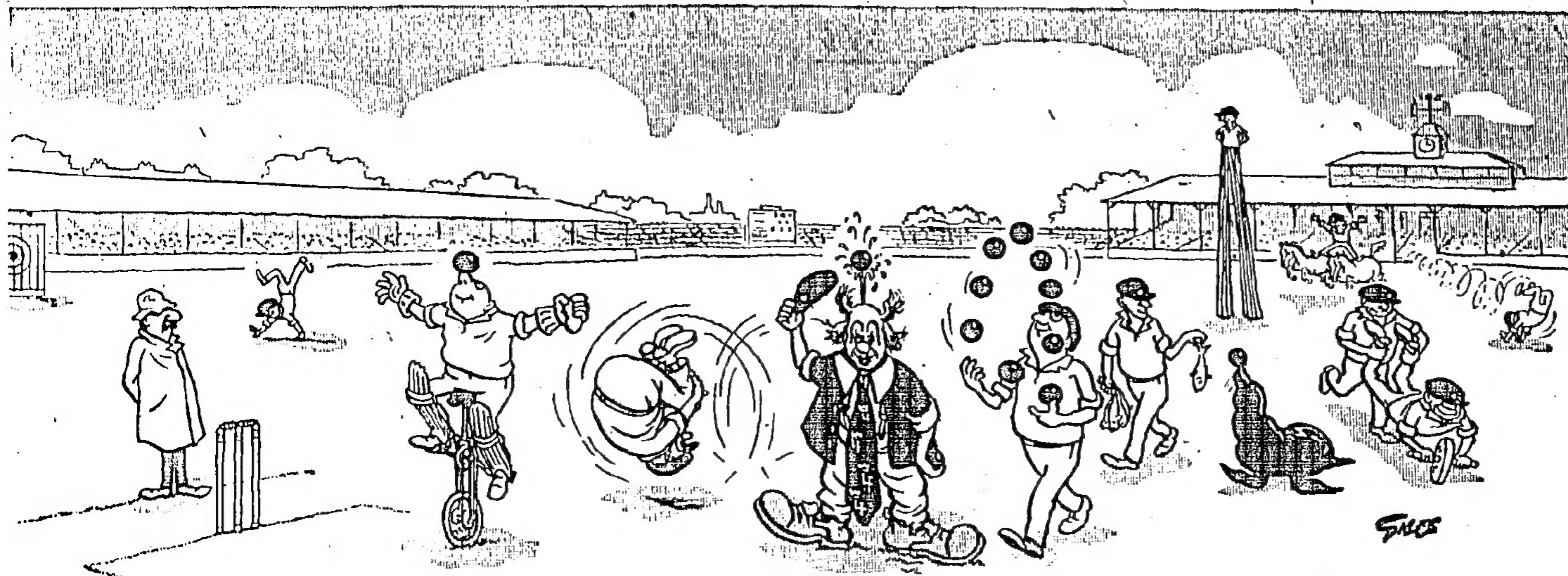
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## TEENAGE MOTHERS

Schooltime isn't the time to tackle the problem

By JOYCE BOWMAN

THEY'RE at it again—the well-meaning ones who get hold of the wrong end of the stick, and the equally well-meaning ones who think it indelicate to pick up a stick at all.

The subject, sex and babies. Guaranteed to attract well-meaning do-gooders from far and near.

Noticing that more girls than ever are marrying and having babies while in their teens, Bedford Maternity Hospital and local schools are running mothercraft lessons for 15-year-old girls.

At the hospital the girls are shown how pregnancy tests are made; they watch women practising relaxation exercises for easy birth, and then they lie down on mattresses and practise the easy-birth exercises themselves.

When news of this reached the Right Rev. Bernard Wall, the Roman Catholic Bishop of Brentwood, he grasped the wrong end of the stick firmly in both hands and declared: "Why must girls of such a tender age be told so much about such a delicate matter?"

### DELICATE?

Bless you, bishop, your heart's in the right place but how wrong you are.

Birth isn't a delicate matter—at least, none of the three in which I was senior partner was. But girls of 15 aren't delicate either. Women aren't, at any age; that's just a masculine delusion.

The real reason I'm against these stretch-and-grunt exercises for girls of 15 is that it's a waste of their time just then.

Because girls of 15 aren't really interested in babies—though they may be curious. The time for lessons about birth is when a woman is pregnant.

Pregnancy lasts an awful long time, and you're grateful for any distraction.

What's more, it is a time when women are anxious to learn about easy birth—though how many benefit by it I wouldn't like to say; the experts are still divided about its value.

### DEFENCE

In defence of the scheme, the hospital matron has said: "The more girls realise that childbirth is a perfectly natural function the better."

Quite right. But what makes you think, matron, that these little trips to the hospital will do that?

In fact, the other real objection to the idea is that it makes babies a subject for special lessons and hospitals. And they're not. It makes the idea of birth more important than the idea of having a baby, the means more important than the end.

And it's babies, of course, that matter. That is why, however uncomfortable or downright

painful their first baby may have been, women want second babies, and third babies.

Mr Alan Ingleby, education secretary of the Marriage Guidance Council, got pretty near the mark (for a man) when he said of the lessons: "Girls of this age should be told how to have proper boy-girl relationships, not how to have a baby."

### TOO LATE

With this in mind, teachers and health officials in Oxford have arranged to give talks on sex in every primary, secondary, and grammar school in the area. Such talks are needed; there is a rising trend toward schoolgirl motherhood, and Oxford's illegitimacy rate is above the national average.

I'm waiting, however, for some well-meaning Oxford citizen to protest at these lessons. Some one is bound to. I've only one objection: they're too late and in the wrong place.

The time to teach the facts of life is when the questions first come up.

(London Express Service).

## DARTMOOR

It doesn't take much to touch off a riot in a seething world of steel and slate

OUTSIDE the mailbag shop the prison officer said: "They may shout a bit. This is a bad day. They'll be touchy about visitors." He seemed edgy.

He unlocked the door with a key and we went into the Nissen hut in Pentonville Prison where 157 men sat all squeezed up in official accommodation for 100, stitching eight regulation stitches to the inch.

They did shout a bit, but it wasn't too bad. The first watching silence was the worst part. Then they jeered and laughed and were suitably rude, but without venom.

### HATE

It had been worse in the mat shop. They jeered there too, but the laughter was different. It had hate in it.

Afterwards the officer said: "It they kid us along it's all right. If they're quiet, we start worrying."

A good many of Britain's prison officers (the term warden was dropped in 1913) are worrying now. Not every day, but on bad days. Like the other day, when a prisoner was killed and three others hurt in a knife fight in Dartmoor.

Like the days I went myself to Pentonville and Wandsworth to find out about prison strife.

By ANTHONY HOPE

Pentonville is one of the oldest, worst prisons in Western Europe. Worse, far worse, than Dartmoor.

Dartmoor has the notorious name, and deserves it.

### TRUE

But it is the overcrowded prisons like Pentonville which give the true prison picture.

Dartmoor has only 500 prisoners; Pentonville more than 1,300—500 more than it was built for 118 years ago.

I had been before in this ordered slum of steel and slate and marching feet, with its reek of soap made stale with dirt; with its great crowds which seem, all the same, to be lost in great emptiness.

This time it was different. A prison officer, fairly new to Pentonville, said: "You can feel the tension. Days like today are like squatting on dynamite."

Pentonville's 97 prison officers were jumpy all right. You could feel it, see it. They didn't smile. Even those I talked to outside the prison seemed still on edge.

The officer said: "In other prisons you can get along with the men. But here if I put my cap down I'd find it all screwed up. The men aren't friendly."

He stopped talking as a dozen men in blue battle-dress jackets and blue pocketless trousers, came along struggling, going somewhere, indifferently.

He went on: "In 20 years in prisons I've never felt I needed to carry my stick (truncheon) here I want it."

Pentonville has 600 men living three in a cell. This has been described officially as "a state of affairs nothing can excuse but necessity."

The officer said: "Some of the men prefer living three up. It's company. But we're always having to move them around. They get to hating one another. Fights break out."

We stopped by a cell, one of 30 in a row. Another officer said: "It's bad for the staff. Three can gang up on you..."

But when we went into the cell the three men there, doing nothing, just sitting, were not unfriendly. They kidded the officer, laughed at him. He seemed pleased.

### HELP

Afterwards he said: "They were friendly because nobody could see us. Outside the cell they'd have been scared to be seen talking to me."

This officer kept looking back over his shoulder, restlessly. You do this in Pentonville, in any seething prison. You make sure what is behind you.

He went on: "Some of us really want to help these men. We can't. There are too many of them and too few of us. We get frustrated, the men get hopeless. It's bad for everyone."

An older officer said: "We can't even supervise properly."

"Look over there—that gang scrubbing! There's a dozen men and no officer. They could be plotting anything, for all we know."

We went over to the scrubbing gang. They weren't plotting anything. But you can't, in any case, stop men plotting. All you can do is to find their plots out.

The older officer told me: "We uncover say two plots a day, mostly trivial. It's not our cleverness. We get tipped off. Heaven knows what would happen if we didn't."

What starts such troubles as the explosion of violence at Dartmoor, or the series of prison strikes sometime ago?

The everyday tension of prison life, of course—you can't keep men locked in cells for 16 hours of the 24, often longer, and not have tension.

But the immediate cause? "They don't know," said the prison official. "After the strikes we asked them. They didn't know."

"It wasn't against us. They didn't really want it. This kind of thing is started by a handful of trouble makers."

"The rest follow. They're more scared of the trouble makers than of us."

"They know we'll be fair."

(London Express Service).

## Silvester's latest success

I MEAN THE GONG HE GETS FOR DANCING

By SHIRLEY LOWE

WHEN the Vicar of Wembley took his son Victor to the Bishop's Ball at Fulham Palace, the 11-year-old boy enjoyed the ice-cream but thought the dancing was soppy.

That little boy grew up and danced his way to a fortune and, in the last Honours List, the Order of the British Empire for "services to ballroom dancing."

Hiding his splendid physique behind a big desk, Mr Victor Silvester is being a business man, not a dancer—the chairman of the Victor Silvester Organisation.

It is a big organisation, and Mr Silvester is a little embarrassed to find himself in control of it, a little embarrassed by the amount of money he has made with his quick wit and his quick feet.

"A woman came up to me the other day at the Leicester Police Ball, and asked if she could shake my hand," he told me, reddening slightly at the memory. "I asked her why. She said: 'I've never shaken the hand of a real millionaire before.'"

Mr Silvester acknowledged, however, that the three companies that take care of his interests have turned over several million pounds since he began his slow-slow-quick-quick-slow campaign.

### His books

There are two platinum discs to show that his records alone have sold more than 30,000,000 singles, and a quarter of a million L.P.s.

There are books—dozens of them. And every Silvester how-to-dance book is a guaranteed best-seller—even the Japanese one, cribbed by a professor in Tokyo University, who sent a copy to the late author ("I didn't get a penny out of it. Not a penny").

There are the 23 dance studios, run by Silvester for the Rank Organisation. There is the band. It plays for one-night stands up and down the country every Thursday and Friday and it is booked for more than a year ahead.

There is television, which has made Victor Silvester's different smile and military precision as familiar as the music and, of course, there is the radio, where for 14 years he has been running an overseas request programme, playing "Anniversary Waltz" for lonely British exiles in Peru and Puerto Rico.

### Fanatical

Today, Victor Silvester considers himself a dance band leader rather than a business man or a dancer. He is too active to sit behind a desk and, at 61, he is growing too old to take such strenuous exercise as dancing—though he does go and lift weights and things three days a week.

"I'm a fanatic about physical culture. Always have been."



Ever since I got my house cap for gym."

This is just as well because for 20 years he danced a minimum 30 miles a day—every day.

This marathon quick-quick-slow started in 1919, when, after running away from school to go into the Army, and after the war, running away from Sandhurst to Harrods, he found himself partnering lonely ladies at the tea-dance.

### The tempo

In the evenings he gave lessons at the Empress Rooms Kensington High-street, and in his spare time he practised. In three years he was 21 years old and the dancing champion of the world.

He married. And he started his own studio. And he got the million-pound idea.

All the records he used for teaching were called Dance Band Records, but, since all musicians play the best tempo for the mood of the song rather than for the dancer, you could not dance to them.

Victor Silvester recorded four titles in the strict tempo that spells the name Silvester to anyone who has ever been on a dance floor. He had made a minimum of two records every month ever since. And that was in 1935.

It is, of course, a success story. Mr Silvester blushes modestly at a word like word.

"There is," he says, "an element of luck about all success. I've been very lucky."

### Modest

This kind of remark is typical of a man who is the biggest contradiction possible—a modest showman.

He has V.S. embroidered on his shirt, and pictures of V.S. and his dancers around the walls.

He has framed his certificate to show that he is a director, and the one to say he has passed the Advanced Driving Test, and the one that proves he was at a Royal Variety Show. Yet he says about his dancing: "It's not for me to say whether I'm good or not."

He smiles deprecatingly about the dozens of countries which buy his records and his books: "Well, it's gratifying to think that one is helping the export drive."

As I left, he said: "Oh, dear. I hope it doesn't all sound very conceited."

(London Express Service).

## Little loch steamer defied giant liner

WHEN, for the first time, a reigning Queen of England consented to name a merchant ship, she gave it her own name. The name was Queen Mary, and the Queen did not know that the 81,000-ton liner she launched only bore her royal name "by permission" of a little river steamer.

The story of the name the Cunard company had to fight for is told in The Mary: the Inevitable Ship, by Neil Potter and Jack Frost (George G. Harrap, 25s.).

Known as "the 534" her shipbuilders' order number, until the moment of her launch on September 20, 1934, the Queen Mary was nearly prevented from having that name because it already belonged to a Clyde steamer.

### On menu

Names suggested for No. 534 included Clyanah, Leonda, Scotia, Britannia, Galleon and King George V.

Many thought that the name would have to end in "in" to fit in with the Cunard name-plan for passenger liners. It was when the name Queen Mary was scribbled on the back

of a lunch menu that it came into favour.

The Board of Trade told Sir Percy Bates, then Chairman of the Cunard, that he would have to come to terms with the owners of the little loch steamer that was already registered in that name.

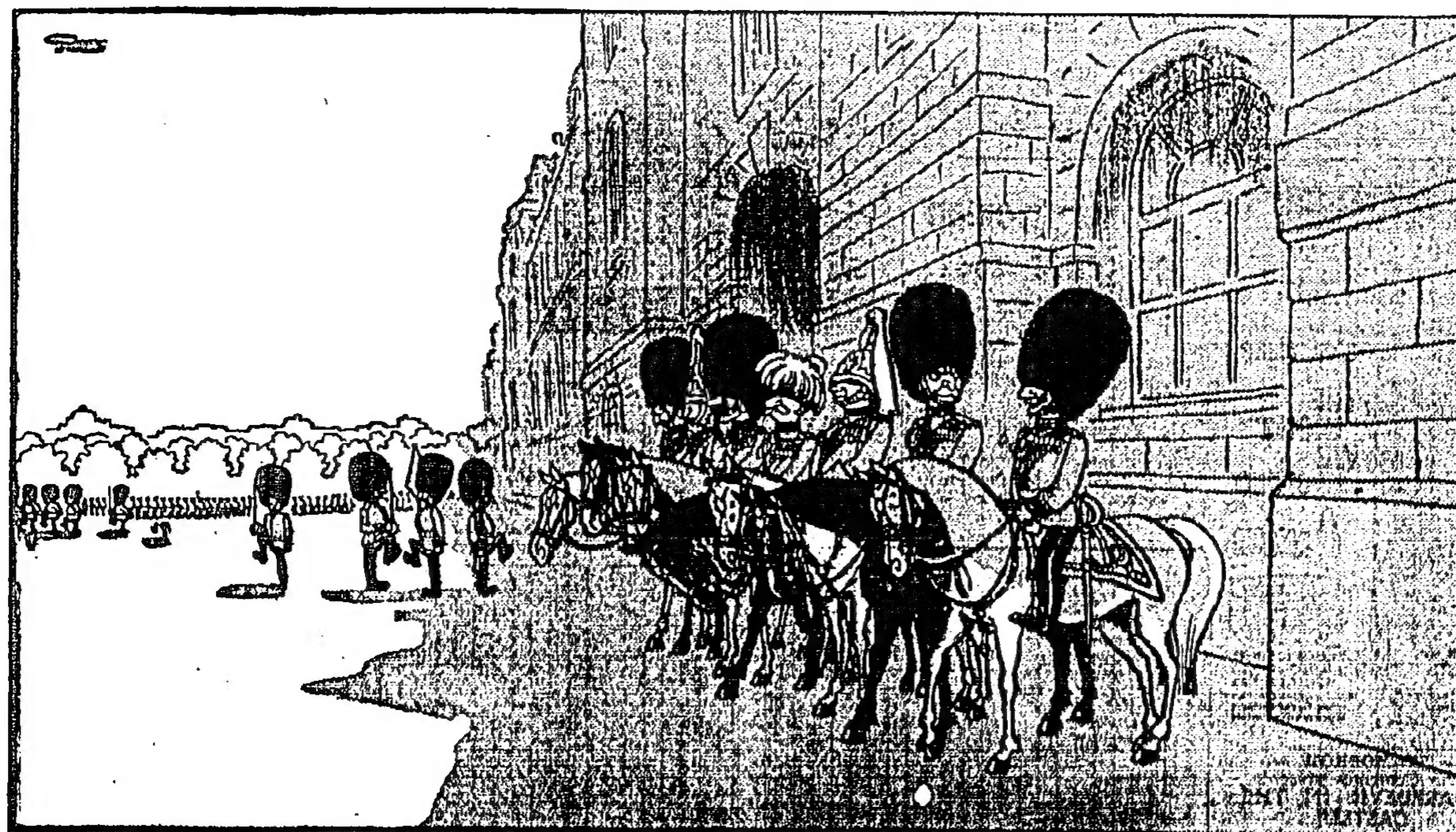
### Still sailing

Two high-level approaches failed to persuade the Scots that they should give up the name to the future Queen of the North Atlantic.

Finally it was agreed the Clyde steamer should become the Queen Mary II, and so leave the way clear for the new liner to be named the Queen Mary.

Now the Queen Mary is celebrating 25 years at sea—and Queen Mary II still sails up and down the Clyde.

(London Express Service).



"Technically speaking, Farquharson, to the TV viewers in Moscow we're just another 'Western'"

(London Express Service).



# WOMANSENSE

VERONICA PAPWORTH

For two months readers have been asking "Where is she? What is she doing?" Now comes the answer—



## I wanted so much to get away from it all...

FOR two months I have been "getting away from it all." Doing a Gauguin. Pursuing *la vie primitive* in the South of France.

And just how primitive can one get in that plush-lined paradise?

Out on a rocky point in the least fashionable bit on the wrong side of St Maxime I have killed away my carefree days at color-gas-and-a-folding-bidet level.

Why? Because suddenly last February there came an ice-cold Moment of Truth at Marylebone Station. As a cool, contemptuous, disembodied voice cried from somewhere up in the dirty great iron roof that the 6.17 was running late (not again!) I asked myself not only who am I and what am I, but why am I here?

Surely to goodness there is a better life than this.

### A new race

That old familiar Desert Island urge swept over me.

We will sell up and sail for the sunshine. Live rough—catch our own food. Build our own home maybe?

Stark naked and deeply suntanned, our sons will pit themselves against the elements, marry the local girls and found a new race.

(So the youngest is only six—so what? They make me early out there. Out where? I don't know where—SOMEWHERE.)

Carried across the platform on a wave of bowler-hatted commuters beating it to the bar, I bought myself a brandy and ginger ale and resolved on a two-month trial run.

In April and May I would take my family south.

I would sit in the sun and paint. I've always known I could paint. It's just having the time.

Write that book maybe? Finish that play I started in 1958?

### The warnings

I ordered another brandy and ginger ale and missed the 6.50. But my mind was made up.



... long leaves of still-warm bread.

Now "getting away from it all" is rather like having a baby. The anticipation is generally better than the realisation. The good advice one receives—endless—to say nothing of the Awful Warnings.

### Off we went

"Darling," said my dear friends in Fleet-street, "I do hope you know what you're doing."

"You've heard, of course, that X wants to change her job. And she's so pretty."

School masters, I discovered, are not so easily carried away by my enthusiasm. "There is, of course, the question of Common Entrance next year and at

this stage your plan is most untimely."

Domestic problems crowd in to add confusion. Who is going to shut up the hens at night? Look after the dogs? Pollinate the peaches?

With a courage born of brandy and ginger ale reinforced with a great deal of pig-headed stubbornness inherited from my old Uncle Charlie, I rented a villa "simple and isolated" and off we went.

We saw no newspapers, we heard no radio, we lived through a near-revolution and knew nothing about it.

Idleness—aided and abetted by my children—possessed me. "What are you going to do this morning Mummy?"

"I thought I'd paint a picture or maybe write a play."

"What about?"

"Two men and a woman."

"You've had it, mate. Somebody's already written that one."

"But mine's got a twist to it—something different."

"Who asked you to write it?"

### So different

"Not much point then is there? Let's go fishing."

Gauguin was the wise one. When he went desert-island he left the kids at home.

And what of the house-keeping at beach-combing level?

Before breakfast each morning we climbed the rocks and took the path through the acacia trees to the local epicerie, returning with butter, salads, fruit and cheeses bought by Monsieur from the local market. Plus long leaves of still-warm bread.

The sweet scent of it, mingled with acacia blossom, is one of my special memories.

This then was our day-time diet.

By night we connected splendid kebabs or stuffed fish bought from a local rogue and grilled them over a camp-fire.



... a tom-tit on a round of beef.

cum-barbecue built on our own little beach.

Washing up by moonlight is quite, quite different. Incidentally, I am things kept happening.

And nothing but nothing is more thwarting to an out-of-work columnist than a batch of bizarre and bawny situations just sitting up and begging to be put down on paper.

Like the time I helped to extricate a small boy with his head stuck through a wrought-iron gate... met an artist with a bright blue beard... went bathing with a baby poplite.

"As I was coming back from the village today a funny thing happened to me..."



Chris saw his cousin trimming the blades of grass.



Chris saw his cousin trimming the blades of grass.

wouldn't tramp all over the grass.

"Why, there are signs all over saying PLEASE KEEP OFF THE GRASS. You don't think People would walk on the grass when the signs told them not to, would you?"

"No," said Greenie. "It's those awful Big Feet. When they clamp down, they leave the grass flatter than a—than a—"

"Then a pancake," I said.

"Yep. Flatter than a pancake," said Greenie. "Takes quite a bit of doing to get the blades to stand up again. If those Big Feet in the Big Shoes only knew the trouble they made they'd read the signs and keep off the grass!"

Christopher Cricket looked at Knarf and Henid and got up and stretched his legs.

"Well," he said, "that's my adventure."

### Kept silent

Knarf and Henid didn't speak for a minute or two.

"Then Henid said: 'I don't think your Cousin Greenie was right about the Big Feet reading the signs. Feet can't read signs. People can.'"

"That's what I was thinking," said Christopher Cricket. And he waved and walked away.



Gauguin was the wise one. When he went desert-island he left the kids at home

But everybody else is talking. The house is full of shouting and laughter.

"FORGET IT! You're not doing a column now."

Dare I admit how much I missed it?

So two months passed in blissful laziness and each evening squaring my shoulders resolutely. I murmured "Tomorrow I really will get down to something."

But I did not have to. So I never did.

We returned through thick grey clouds to a bleak and windswept London Airport. The same old Customs officers with the same old notice. And nothing to declare but a set of vanquished day dreams and a dark brown suitcase!

### Creeping out

Down emerald-green lanes garlanded in Queen Anne lace and dog roses we drove home. Spring was never so blindingly beautiful.

Great fat cows, udder-deep in fields of buttercups, twitched their tails at us, and a plump little girl on a pony—a tom-tit on a round of beef—waved as we passed by.

The garden was creeping out through the gates to meet us ("Goodness, look at that grass!"), and one of the lilacs had collapsed in a graceful heap, like a ballerina taking a curtain call under the weight of so much blossom.

"Abroad is smashing," said my son as he went to shut the hen house that night. "So long as you don't have to stay there."

"D'accord mon vieux," said I. Marylebone Station, here I come!

(—London Express Service.)

## When a woman faces up to her snapshot album

By SHIRLEY LOWE

MOST women aren't mad about home movies. They know that the pictures which are such fun to make today are sadly, revealingly, unfunny and uncomplimentary 20 years on.

Most women don't even like snapshots much. And that's why it is so odd to see a middle-aged woman publicly revelling in the pictures that were taken of her back in 1939.

Vivien Leigh—47 years old now and a granny—not only doesn't mind people seeing what the years in between have done to her. The other day she positively invited comparison by going to the rescue of her old film, "Gone With the Wind."

I am bound to say she still looked as good as new.

### Difference

THE difference between Vivien Leigh and most middle-aged women is that she, like all true beauties, makes no concession at all to her age.

She wears her hair the way she's always worn it. Unfashionably and prettily long.

She doesn't dress up in sensible middle-aged things or go to bed early to hang on to a schoolgirl complexion.

She smokes. And she drinks. And she still only weighs seven and a half stone.

So far this year she has turned up at the premiere of that film in Atlanta, Georgia, wearing a white, low-cut dress that even Elizabeth Taylor would love.

### Like a wail

SHE has braved the camera on moving-in day at her new home, dressed unglamorously in a sack dress, a headscarf and scuffed slippers. She managed to look—surrounded by burly removal men diffidently sipping wine—like a tiny, hard-working wail.

She has been to Balmalm and bought a dress and coat, girlishly, on the word of a man.

"That's the one, darling, you look wonderful," said Mr John Merivale.

And she bought it there and then without wondering what it did for her. She has tripped off airplanes and into first nights on the arm of Mr Merivale, coyly and charmingly refusing to say if she is going to marry him.

Recently I saw her rehearsing at the Finsbury Park Empire, dressed in a dirndl skirt, and awaywardly, and looking just a little over 30.

The only disadvantage of being such a Peter Pan is that you can't stay young and be a genuine grandmother.

When you're a small boy of three, you don't appreciate a pretty woman, but you certainly do like a granny-looking granny who tucks you into bed with a pink rabbit she's knitted herself.

YOUR BIRTHDAY: If your birthday is this week, you will find a symbol of good fortune in a gift of a tennis racket.

London Express Service.

## CHILDREN'S CORNER

### Forest Of Big Feet

—Chris Cricket Tells The Shadons A Story—

By MAX TRELL

"WELL," said Christopher Cricket as he came over to the steps where Knarf and Henid, the Shadow Children with the Turned-About Names, were sitting, "in just back of Big Feet, I don't suppose you care to hear about it, or do you?"

Here Knarf and Henid, who had never heard of the Forest of Big Feet, shouted that they not only wanted to hear about it, but that they wanted to hear about it right away!

### Sat down

"Fine," said Christopher Cricket as he sat himself down between Knarf and Henid and crossed five or six of his legs. "I'm not doing anything in particular for the next hour or so. There's nothing I like better than to tell my friends about my adventures. Got any chewing gum?"

Knarf gave Christopher some chewing gum. Christopher always liked to chew when he talked.

"It started early this morning," Christopher said, "right after I had my breakfast. The sun was shining so bright, the day was so warm and fine, that I decided that the one thing I wanted to do was to take a walk. So off I went to the park."

### Not regular paths

"Well," he continued, "I didn't walk on the regular paths. That's not for me! No, I went straight to the Forest of Grass."

"I thought it was the Forest of Big Feet!" Knarf said, promptly interrupting Christopher.

"So it was, so it was, at first," said Christopher. "But let me get on with my story. As soon as I reached the park, I crawled under the grass."

Now when you're as small as I am, grass doesn't look the same as it does to big things like you.

"To me the blades of grass look as tall as trees. A lawn looks like a whole enormous forest of trees! Those blades of grass rise straight up like big, green trunks. Up near the top they meet like an archway. They make a cool shade below."

"I found many little paths winding in and out among the grass blades. All these paths were made by Bugs and creeping things that live under the grass. I took one of those paths, and by and by I heard a noise of somebody working."

"Who was it, Christopher?" asked Henid.

"A cousin of mine, named Greenie Cricket. He had a big pair of clippers in his hand. He was trimming the blades of grass, making them look neat. Then he propped some of them up that were flattened down."

"Howdy, Cousin Greenie," I said.

"Howdy, Christopher," he said to me.

### Easy work

"What are you working at?" I asked Greenie.

"Oh, didn't you know? I'm the gardener here now. There are regular gardeners who take care of the lawns and there's me to take care of the paths under the lawns!"

"You don't say! I said to Greenie, 'Is it easy work?'"

"Wal," said Greenie, "that all depends. The Ants and Caterpillars and Beetles and such other small folk that use the paths don't bother me much. It's the Big Feet that cause all the trouble."

"Big Feet?" I asked. "You must mean People, Greenie. Feet don't walk without People!"

"I mean Big Feet in Big Shoes!" said Greenie. "People



Chris saw his cousin trimming the blades of grass.

wouldn't tramp all over the grass."

"Why, there are signs all over saying PLEASE KEEP OFF THE GRASS. You don't think People would walk on the grass when the signs told them not to, would you?"

"No," said Greenie. "It's those awful Big Feet. When they clamp down, they leave the grass flatter than a—than a—"

"Then a pancake," I said.

"Yep. Flatter than a pancake," said Greenie. "Takes quite a bit of doing to get the blades to stand up again. If those Big Feet in the Big Shoes only knew the trouble they made they'd read the signs and keep off the grass!"

Christopher Cricket looked at Knarf and Henid and got up and stretched his legs.

"Well," he said, "that's my adventure."

### Kept silent

Knarf and Henid didn't speak for a minute or two.

"Then Henid said: 'I don't think your Cousin Greenie was right about the Big Feet reading the signs. Feet can't read signs. People can.'"

"That's what I was thinking," said Christopher Cricket. And he waved and walked away.

## JACOBY on BRIDGE

WALTER I. Pate, former captain of the Davis Cup team, is also an enthusiastic bridge player. He writes from New York. "The following hand which I played at the Cornell Club may interest your readers. What do you think of the bidding and of West's heart lead that let me make my contract?"

South's bidding was entirely correct. He opened with a sound one spade bid; showed his second suit; responded to Blackwood and eventually found himself at an almost impossible grand slam.

North's bidding was on the optimistic side. He knew that South held at least nine cards in spades and diamonds and the two missing aces. He knew nothing about kings and should have worried about a heart loser. The more conservative course of asking for

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NORTH 11			
AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2
A872	A872	A872	A872
J	J	J	J
K75	K75	K75	K75
WEST EAST			
None	None	None	None
AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2
Q743	Q743	Q743	Q743
J9843	J9843	J9843	J9843
SOUTH (D)			
AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2	AKJ2
Q743	Q743	Q743	Q743
AKQ10	AKQ10	AKQ10	AKQ10
A6	A6	A6	A6
North and South vulnerable			
South	West	North	East
1	Pass	3	Pass
4	Pass	4NT	Pass
5	Pass	7	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♥6			

kings with a five no-trump bid and stopping at six after South showed one only would meet with my approval.

Still nothing succeeds like success and his overbid stamped off West into making the one losing opening lead.

West must have been a pessimist. He must have visualized the ace and queen of hearts in the North hand and come to the conclusion that if there was going to be any play at all a heart finesse would work for declarer. So he led his heart in the hope that South would refuse the finesse at that early stage of the play.

### CHARD Serenely

Q—The bidding has been West North East South 1♠ Double Redouble You, South, hold: ♠AKJ2 ♥K43 ♣Q843 ♦72 What do you do?

A—Pass. You have a good hand and can show your strength by bidding after your partner takes out the redouble.

TODAY'S QUESTION You do pass and your partner bids one heart. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

### Rupert and Gwyneth—50



Mr. Bear shouts and starts forward to save the pile that is being disturbed. "It's no good you giving orders," says Rupert. "You haven't eaten one of those magic cookies!" They gaze bewildered as the broomstick works harder than ever flinging showers of leaves over Mr. Bear.



who tries to dodge them until he trips and topples over. Immediately the owl perches on his nose and flap its wings cheerfully while Tabitha stands up and laughs at him. "Oh, dear! This has got to stop!" gasps Rupert. "Where has that broom gone now?"

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# Disappointing 'Mile of the Year' at U.S. National Athletic Championships

New York, June 25.

Dyrol Burleson, a 20-year-old University of Oregon junior student ambled to a 4:04.9 victory over Jim Beatty in the Mile of the Year but Frank Budd failed in his attempt to score the 100 and 220 yards double in the U.S. National AAU Track and Field Championships at the Downing Stadium, Randalls Island, today.

A crowd of 19,220—drawn mostly by the prospect of a sub-four-minute mile by Burleson or Beatty—turned out for the second day of the two-day meeting.

Burleson and Beatty, however, spent the first quarter watching each other and neither really began to run until the final quarter. By that time, any prospect of getting home under four minutes was out of the question.

Budd, a 21-year-old Villanova student, won the 100 yards in a world record time of 9.2 seconds yesterday but couldn't make it in the 220 today. Only two sprinters in

history have won both the NCAA and AAU 100-220 double.

Paul Drayton, a team-mate of Budd, won the 220 in 21 seconds flat. That would have been a Championship record, but the wind was 3.2 metres, far over the allowable 2.0 metres which is the maximum for records.

Charles Frazier of Texas Southern was second, also in 21 seconds and Budd was a stride back in 21.1.

The reward for the first and second place finishers in all the events except the 2-mile walk and 220-yard low hurdles was a trip to Europe for Olympic-type meetings against Russia, West Germany, England and Poland next month.

## Results

Results of today's events were:

440 yards: 1—Otis Davis, 46.1 sec. 2—Ullis Williams, 46.3. 3—Adolph Plummer, 46.9. 4—Earl Young, 47.

Hammer throw: 1—Harold Connolly, 213 ft 6 in. 2—Al Hall, 197.8. 3—Tom Pagan, 194.8. 4—Bob Backus, 192.8.

Three miles: 1—Lazlo Talbot, 13:50. 2—Max Truesdell, 13:52. 3—Pat Clougherty, 13:53. 4—Brian Turner, 13:56.8.

One mile: 1—Dyrol Burleson, 4:04.9. 2—Jim Beatty, 4:09.5. 3—Jim Grelle, 4:09. 4—Bill Dolson, 4:10.6.

Discus throw: 1—Jay Silverter, 195 ft 8 in. (Championship record: old record, 192-9/2, by Al Oerter, 1960). 2—Al Oerter, 190.5/2. 3—Rink Babka, 186.6. 4—Bob Humphreys, 181.7.

Two-mile walk: 1—Ronald Zinn, 14:46.8. 2—Rimas Valaitis, 14:55. 3—Bob Almon, 15:04.4. 4—Ron Laid, 15:13.2.

220 yards low hurdles: 1—Don Sylvan, 23.2 sec. 2—Rex Stucker, 23.3. 3—Barney Allen, 23.4. 4—Jay Luck, 23.7. 5—AP. Hop, step and jump: 1—Bill Sharpe, 52 ft 4 in. 2—Kent Fierke, 52.2/4. 3—Luther Hayes, 51.6. 4—Mahoney, 51.4/2.

220 yards: 1—Paul Drayton, 21.0 sec. 2—Charles Frazier, 21.0. 3—Frank Budd, Villanova, 21.1. 4—Paul Winder, 21.2.

3,000 metres steeplechase: 1—Charles (Deacon) Jones, 8:48. (Championship record: old record, 8:56.6, by Phil Coleman, 1960). 2—George Young, 8:50.8. 3—L. Robert Schul, 8:53.6. 4—John Lawler, 9:12.6.

880 yards: 1—Jan Dupree, 1:49.5. 2—Jerry Siebert, 1:48.5. 3—John Bork, 1:48.8. 4—George Kerr, Jamaica, 1:49.2. 5—AP.

## Ambassadors of Football contest

Following are the standings in the Hongkong Ambassadors of Football contest after Saturday's voting:

SENIOR TEAM		JUNIOR TEAM	
Kung Wah-Kit (Police)	4,501	Wong Sze-keung (Wah Yan)	40,378
Ko Po-keung (Tung Wah)	13,157	Chan Yiu-sun (Salesian)	17,014
H. North (Hongkong Club)	1,431	Hung Chiu-tuen (St. Louis)	8,793
Lau Kin-chung (SCAA)	1,229	Chan Lai-wai (Young China)	8,282
Wong Man-wai (Happy Valley)	891	Chan Kwai-wing (La Salle)	4,941
Wong Chi-keung (SCAA)	753	Chan Pak-ling (La Salle)	4,218
Cheung Siu-keung (Police)	623	Yu Chun-hong (Queens)	4,263
Yiu Cheuk-yin (Tung Wah)	610	Ko Hon-sheung (Wah Yan)	3,914
Mok Chun-wah (SCAA)	528	Trang Cheuk-ling (Elizabeth)	3,547
Chow Shiu-hung (KMB)	511	Tee Kam-kit (Salesian)	3,237



British middleweight champion Terry Downes (left), kindly offers a drink, in commendable style, to Paul Pender, the world welterweight champion from Boston, when both boxers were entertained to lunch at the Orchard Room in London's Dorchester Hotel last week.

## Pender refuses to be beastly BEFORE fight

By HARRY CARPENTER

Paul Pender, who once told a U.S. investigating committee that "boxing is rotten, through and through," last week stood up after a cold-salmon lunch in London and suggested that boxing should grow up and be sensible.

What he said, in effect, was that he wasn't going to lend himself to phoney publicity to sell boxing.

Perhaps it is time to warn Pender that if he goes on talking like this someone will whip his world middleweight title away on the grounds that he is not a responsible member of the thick-air trade.

Doesn't he know that promoters on both sides of the Atlantic consider that boxing cannot exist without "needle" fights, camp "rows," and managerial "disputes"?

Does he really believe that he can get through his training for the Terry Downes fight on July 11 without bursting a punchbag at least once?

Pender is criticised because his arrival in Britain for the Wembley fight has been accomplished with good will and politeness.

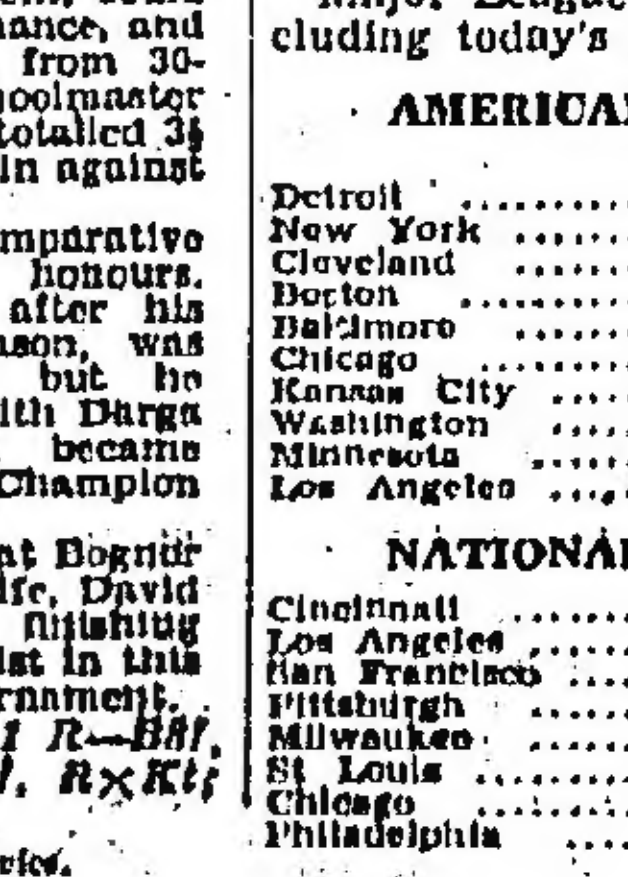
## Why mo?

Bringing a refreshing intelligence to bear, Pender, guest of honour at the lunch with Downes, rose to say: "What am I expected to do—growl at Downes? Boxing is an athletic event like any other sport. Footballers aren't expected to go around growling at people to show they mean business. Why mo?"

"I'm not going to provide sensation stories while I'm here. All I'll promise is that on the night of the fight I shall try my hardest. I expect to go home middleweight champion of the world."



## THE GAMBOLS



## A British challenger for Berruti



David Jones, whose wins over Peter Radford in both the sprints make him Britain's top speed star, takes on Olympic gold medalist Livio Berruti, of Italy, in Moscow on Saturday for the European title. Ambitious Jones has even wider plans. He travels on from Moscow to the World Games in Helsinki, where every Rome Olympic medal winner has been invited to compete. Photo shows David Jones, on the left, beating Peter Radford in the 100 yards dash.—London Express Photo.

## Chan Lye-choon wins the Johore Grand Prix

Johore Bahru, June 25.

A Singapore businessman Chan Lye-choon won the Johore Grand Prix here today in a Lola Climax specially imported from Britain.

The second place was taken by an Englishman, Mr P. A. G. Brown, driving a Lotus Climax. In third place was another

## Pirie's dramatic return to British athletics

Motsapur Park, June 25.

Gordon Pirie, the 30-year-old international runner, made a dramatic return to British Athletics yesterday.

He was spiked in the final of the mile in the Southern Championships at Motspur Park, Surrey and retired but came back after half an hour to win the three miles by 20 yards in 13 mins 43.6 secs.

Pirie, who has been living in Sweden since the start of the British season, has now made himself eligible for the mile, as well as the three and six miles in the AAA Championships next month. He achieved the mile qualifying time in Friday's heats, the three miles mark on Saturday, and is holder of the six-mile title.

## SPIKING INCIDENT

"I have not made up my mind which one I shall concentrate on," he said.

The spiking incident came after 300 yards of the mile final when he was accidentally caught by Peter Milner (Micheam), was thrown off balance and lost a shoe.

The Southern half-mile produced the day's finest performance when Tony Harris, the 20-year-old Micheam runner, returned the fastest 880 yards in Britain this year of 1 min 40 secs. Only three other British athletes, Brian Hewson, Mike Hawson, and Derek Johnson, two of whom have retired, have clocked a faster time.—APF.

## A Honda victory

The Johore Grand Prix for motor-cycles was won by Japan's Gliel Suzuki who was riding a 250 cc Honda.

Suzuki's winning time for the 35-lap race was 1 hour 3 minutes 4 seconds. Suzuki won by half a lap from his nearest rival, Profitt White of Singapore, also on a Honda. Third was Soh Fuan-see, a full lap behind, on a Norton.

The works Honda machine dominated the race with Suzuki taking the lead almost from the start and never giving it up.

There was no one to touch Suzuki in the race. The only one to give him a challenge in the early stages was his Yamaha rival H. Nasagawa, who called in at the pit in the third lap, and then was fagged out in the 16th. By that time he was already more than five laps behind Suzuki.

Honda's other Japanese rider, T. Fuji, did not take part in the Grand Prix although he qualified for it yesterday.—Reuters.

## Yugoslavia one step nearer World Cup finals

Warsaw, June 25.

Poland and Yugoslavia drew 1-1 in a Preliminary Group match in the World Football Cup Tournament here today.

Both goals were scored in the first half. Galle put Yugoslavia in the lead with a goal in the 12th minute and Schmidt equalised for Poland in the 29th minute.

Yugoslavia beat Poland 2-1 in Belgrade earlier this month and now meet South Korea, the winners of the Asian Zone, in home and away qualifying matches.

The World Cup finals will be played in Chile next year.—Reuters.

## Tour De France begins

Versailles, June 25.

The 27-year-old French cyclist, Jacques Anquetil, took the coveted yellow sweater and first place in the individual standings of the professional road cycling race, the Tour De France, at the close of the first stage here today.

Anquetil, with a time of 3 hours 54 minutes 29 seconds for today's 102.9 mile stage amply confirmed his selection as favourite for this race.—APF.

## Dorothy Hyman out for the season

London, June 25.

Dorothy Hyman, the British women's 100 yards and 220 yards champion, will be out of athletics for the rest of the season, she said tonight, after her failure yesterday to qualify in the 100 yards at the Hickleton Miners Welfare Athletics Meeting in South Yorkshire.

Dorothy, a double Olympic Games medalist, said: "I am bitterly disappointed, but I think this is the best thing to do."

She injured her left thigh during the winter and recently had a three-week layoff to get it again. "Perhaps I have rushed things too much," she said. "I shall not start training again for at least two months."

## 19-year-old Seki's chance for ring greatness tomorrow

Tokyo, June 25.

A pale-faced, but a determined Japanese youth, who has had 24 professional fights, pits his speed and courage on Tuesday against world flyweight champion Pone Kingpetch of Thailand in a bid to regain the crown Japan surrendered six years ago.

For slim, boyish Mitsuori Seki, 19, who is the third Japanese flyweight to take a crack at the world title once owned by Japan's Yoshio Shirai, it is the biggest event in his life.

It is a chance to earn ring greatness even if the opportunity may have come knocking too early in his career.

The Tokyo-born lad, raised by his mother until the age of 11 in snowy Hokkaido, Japan's northernmost island, is the youngest of three brothers and two sisters.

He shot into the world boxing rank when he secured a surprising 10-round decision over Philippine's veteran Leo Espinosa in Tokyo, in June 1960.

But that was after the young Japanese southpaw had already

## Palmer triumphs in Western Open Golf

Grand Rapids, June 25.

Arnold Palmer, golf's leading money winner in 1960, staved off a strong late challenge by Sammy Snead to win the 58th Western Open Golf Tournament today with a 72-hole total of 271.

Palmer, who started the day in first place by two strokes, turned in a two-under-par 69 to finish 13 strokes under par at the Wytheville Country Club. Snead, playing in the same threesome with Palmer, had been in a six-way tie for fourth place at 207, five strokes behind Palmer, going into the last round. But with nines of 33 and 33, the 40-year-old veteran managed to come within two strokes of winning.

## Rimmed the cup

Palmer almost pulled farther away on the 16th and 17th, but each time his putts, first of 40 feet and then of 30, rimmed the cup.

Snead missed a chance to cut the leader's margin to one stroke when he failed to drop a 12-foot putt for a birdie on the 17th.

Doug Sanders, who went into the final round trailing Palmer by one stroke, had his worst 18 of the week, a 72, and wound up with a 270 total good only for fifth place.

Johnny Foltz produced a final round of 67 to take third place at 274. Billy Casper Jr gained fourth-place money with a 68 for a 275 total.

A crowd of 14,600 was on hand to see Palmer win his 10th tournament since he became a touring professional in January, 1955. The \$5,000 first prize pushed his year's earnings to \$50,585, second in the PGA standings only to Gary Player of South Africa, who has won just over \$54,000 for the year.

Player had 69 in the final round for a total of 283. It was the 39th consecutive tournament in which the South African finished in the money—the longest streak in professional golf history.—UPI.

## World Roller Skating triumphs for Italians

San Hippolito De Volperra, June 25.

Italy won three titles and Japan one in the two-day Roller Skating World Championships which finished in this picturesque Spanish village today.

Lugliano Cavallini of Italy won the 1,000 metres event with 29 points, followed by his countryman, Francesco Braccucci, 31 points, with 23 and Manuel La Osa of Spain, with 20. Jean Lachambre, of France was fifth with 16 and Hideo Birata, Japan, sixth with 13.

Barialini won the 10,000 metres event in 22:54.2, followed by his countryman Alberto Ciolovani, 22:55.1, and Eisuke Oya, Japan, 22:55.7.

In the opening events, last night Oya won the 20,000-metres event in 46:09.12, with Italy's Faggioni second in 46:09.18.

Cavallini and Ciolovani won the 10,000-metres men's team event in 21:18.7, followed by M. Mare and Lachambre, France, in 21:28.3 and Oya and H. Matsubara, Japan, one lap behind.

Italy amassed 106 points, France 70, Japan 69 and Spain 55.—AP.

## U.S. baseball results

New York, June 25.

Results of today's Major League baseball matches included:

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

(First game)

	R	H	E
Detroit	6	12	0
Cleveland	3	7	0

New York	8	11	2
Minnesota	4	10	1

Washington	3	8	0
Chicago	7	9	2

Boston	11	0	0
Kansas City	4	7	1

Detroit	3	6	1
Cleveland	4	10	1

Philadelphia	5	13	4
Pittsburgh	10	11	0

Chicago	5	10	0
Milwaukee	3	7	2

Los Angeles	2	6	0
Cincinnati	3	8	1

San Francisco	6	12	1
St. Louis	4	6	3

STANDINGS			
Major League standings, including today's games are:			

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	45	24	.652	—
New York	41	28	.593	1 1/2
Cleveland	41	30	.577	2
Boston	38	33	.535	3 1/2
Baltimore	38	34	.526	3 1/2
Chicago	38	31	.554	3 1/2
Kansas City	29	38	.433	10 1/2
Washington	29	40	.419	10 1/2
St. Louis	26	43	.377	13 1/2
Los Angeles	25	48	.342	14 1/2

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cincinnati	43	25	.632	—
New York	41	29	.586	1 1/2
San Francisco	39	29	.571	1 1/2
Pittsburgh	33	30	.524	7 1/2
Milwaukee	30	32	.484	10
St. Louis	30	33	.476	10 1/2
Chicago	30	40	.431	13 1/2
Philadelphia	21	41	.339	16 1/2

## Chess News

By LEONARD BARDEN

On the whole, the Easter tournament proved disappointing for British hopes of international successes. Our team had their moment of glory at the Clare Benedict team tournament in Switzerland when they defeated the powerful West Germans 2-1. Our first win against them since the war.

However, a shock 2-1 defeat by Austria pushed England into third place in the final standings. Michael Hayward, last year's hero of this event, could not repeat his performance, and the best result came from 36-year-old Skegness schoolmaster John Littlewood, who totalled 34 and scored the vital win against the Germans.

At Bognor, a comparative veteran in the honours, Stuart Milner-Barry, after his poor results last season, was given a special challenge. He shared second prize with Borge, behind O'Kelly and became Southern Counties Champion for the first time.

One unique feature at Bognor was a husband and wife, David and Linda Trickett, finishing together in the prize list in this seriously contested tournament. Solution No. 653: 1 R-Bb1, QxR, 2 R-K7, R-KxR, 3 QxR.

London Express Service.

## England's World Cup, International soccer programme

Hastings, June 25.

The second leg of the World Cup tie between England and Luxembourg—England won the first leg 9-0—will be played at Highbury on September 29, providing the floodlighting is improved and comes up to standard, it was decided at the summer meeting of the Football Association held here over the weekend.

The other World Cup preliminary tie, against Portugal, as well as the international against Ireland, Austria (April 4) and Switzerland will take place at Wembley. Leeds is the venue for the Under-23 match between England and Israel on November 8 and the Amateurs of England and Iceland are next to meet on September 10. No venue was given.—APF.

## U.S. SOCCER LEAGUE

New York, June 25.

The Shamrock Rovers of Ireland and the Puerto Rico team of Puerto Rico played to a 2-2 tie before an estimated 12,244 crowd in their match which opened the Second Section of International Soccer League play at the Polo Grounds today.

The Rovers, who had scored early in the first period, held a 2-1 lead by half-time.—AP.





## Lord's is my lucky ground —but not England's

Lord's, where the second Test is now being played, is the greatest ground in the world for any cricketer who has ever played there.

As I looked over its pleasant green this week and felt again its tradition and atmosphere my mind flew back to the incredible moment, just 25 years ago, when I saw "murder" done on that sacred turf.

Jahangir Khan, of Cambridge, was bowling when it happened. Tom Pearce, the former Essex captain, was batting, and I was fielding in the gully. Khan ran up to bowl and Pearce shaped for a shot... but there was no sound of the ball meeting with.

Yet the ball dropped in the black-hole. And when I rushed up, the body lay there, too — the body of a sparrow which had chosen precisely the wrong moment to zoom low across the pitch. It had been hit fair and square in flight by the ball, and killed stone dead.

### Unlucky ground

The sparrow was stuffed and now holds a place of honour in the Long Room — for murder like that had never happened before. Certainly not at Lord's.

That is only one of my memories of Lord's, never the luckiest of grounds for England in her great battles against Australia. Only once in over sixty years has there been an English victory over the tourists here. I hope the time has now come for their luck to change.

But for me, personally, it has been a ground of splendid and, in some ways, historic memories. For instance, apart from that incident of murder I was lucky enough to play there in the very first game in which Denis Compton appeared as a young professional on the Lord's ground staff.

### Cricket classics

It was away back in 1933, and I was one of the Young Amateurs and Denis one of the Young Professionals. I believe Denis made about 30, and although that was not very tall scoring it was enough to convince everyone there that a new star was on the way up.

I made 189 in little over three hours in that game, so it was a memorable occasion in my career, too. Especially, looking back, when I recall that it was Compton, with one of his innocent-looking, top-spinner, who got me lbw. I suppose I could regard myself as the first of the many he claimed like that.

In 1937, I made 101 for Cambridge against Oxford, and although that has special importance to me in the record books, it was not an innings that stands out in my mind half as much as two others by my old buddies... Hugh Duffell and Martin Donnelly.

### Never hit harder

They are regarded as classics in all the cricket ever played at Lord's. I feel honoured that, for part of the time anyway, I saw them from the other end of the pitch.

Bartlett's classic 175 not out was played for the Gentlemen against the Players in 1938. Wally Hammond, I remember, had captained the Players the previous year and now was leading the Gentlemen. And Lord's never looked more handsome.

The feature of Bartlett's innings was his tremendous hitting. O'Neill and Dorey, May and Cowdrey, all hit the ball pretty hard today. But not harder than Bartlett on that occasion.

In one fantastic over, he hit Peter Smith for two sixes and four fours. And altogether he

### SWIMMING MATCH

Oberhausen, June 25. Western Germany beat Holland by 114 points to 109 in a two-day swimming match which ended here today.

Holland led 52-51 after the first day.—Reuter.

had four sixes and 24 fours in what is still the second highest innings ever played in these annual games.

Two of his sixes landed on the roof of the grandstand, and the other two were slammed away to the back of the Mound stand. I can't imagine that Jossop ever hit a cricket ball harder or sweeter. It was breath-taking. I made 189 while all this was going on.

Martin Donnelly's 162 not out, also for the Gentlemen, came in 1947. It didn't have the big hitting content of Bartlett's affair, but it was a classic just the same—a classic of neat, perfect artistry.

I can still see his perfect balance as he turned his shots off his toes, drove through covers and cut with surgical precision. The dapper New Zealand and Oxford left-hander claimed 24 fours on an occasion that will live for ever in the memories of all who saw it.

I am sure that Martin will play a few of those shots all over again in his mind's eye this week, for he is back in England on business. He's certain to try and have an hour or two at this Test match if he can.

For others, of course, it may be Hedley Verity's 14 Australian wickets in a day in 1934 that will stand out as their greatest occasion at Lord's. Or Dukep-singh's 173—or Don Bradman's 254 in the Test of 1930.

### Watson's stand

Some will remember that fantastic back-to-the-wall effort by Willie Watson and Trevor Bailey to save what seemed an utterly lost cause in 1953.

Watson, you will remember, in his first Test against Australia, defied the bowlers for 5½ hours and made a hundred, and Bailey stayed there for 4½ hours for 71. After the game seemed well in the Australian pocket, it was saved.

Yes, although it has been singularly tough on England in these Australia battles, Lord's has always produced incident and great moments.

I have been tempted to recall them this week as a reminder that, for most people, Lord's really does have something very special.

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## HAT-MAKER EMILE CAN USE HIS FISTS TOO



"Emile the hat-maker" can most often be found in a busy first floor workshop not far from New York's bustling Fifth Avenue, using the artistic grace he brought with him from the Virgin Islands to deftly weave a piece of lace to a mink creation. But at other times, Emile Griffiths is hard at work holding on to the welterweight boxing championship of the world.

And what a difference in his earnings; hatmaking for 45 dollars a week, and boxing for 45,000 dollars a fight.

### NEARLY GAVE UP

Howard Arthur, who says, "I'm a frustrated amateur boxer" not only is Emile's joint boxing manager, but his hat-factory employer.

"When I spotted Emile in the workshop three years ago I saw that he had all the physical attributes. So I dragged him down to the gymnasium for a workout. He took a hiding, nearly gave up, and then slowly he began to like

the sport. From that moment on there was no stopping him.

We're thinking of a trip to London. And we've had an offer to fight Brian Curvis." Meanwhile, amiable Emile goes on making hats.—London Express Service.

## Sports Diary

### TODAY

Open Pairs championship matches at HKCC, KCC, PRC, KUGG, Recreo, 5.30 pm.

### TOMORROW

Ladies' "B" Division: LRC v USRC, CRC v Urban C.

### BOWLS

Colony Open Pairs second round matches at HKCC, KCC, Talkoo, PRC, HKCC, KUGG, Recreo.

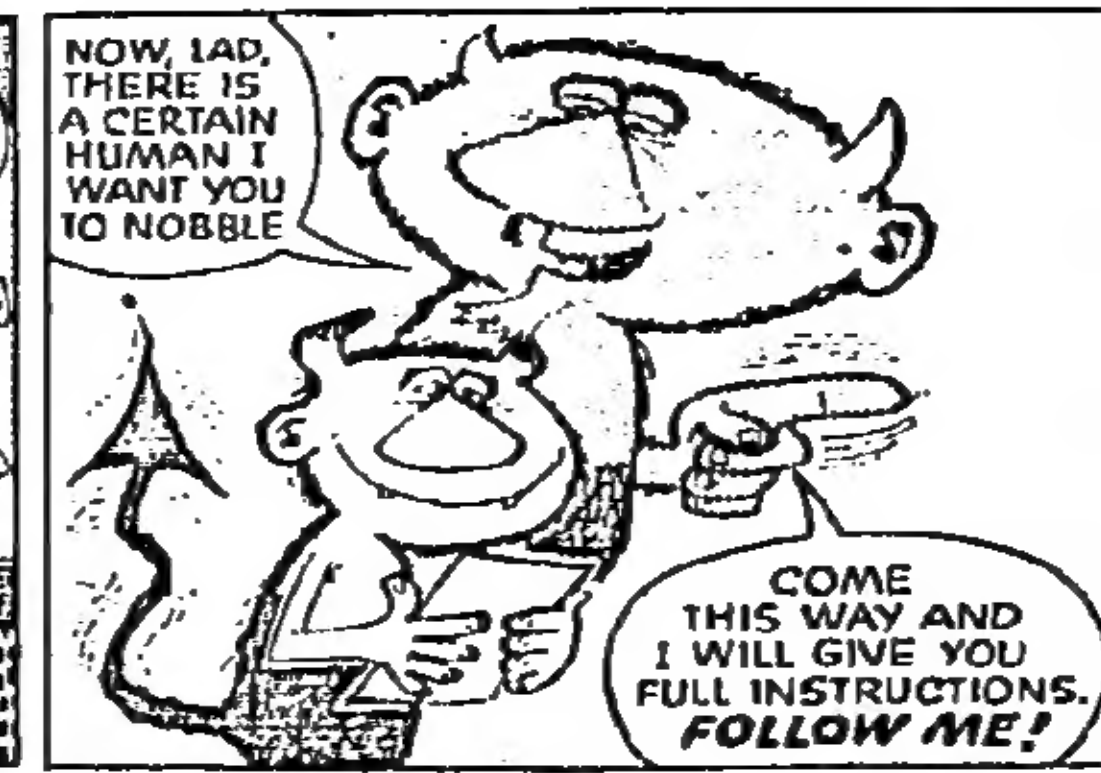
### WATER POLO

Army Island v Army Kln, 8.30 pm; HK Regiment v South China 7 pm at Victoria Park Pool.

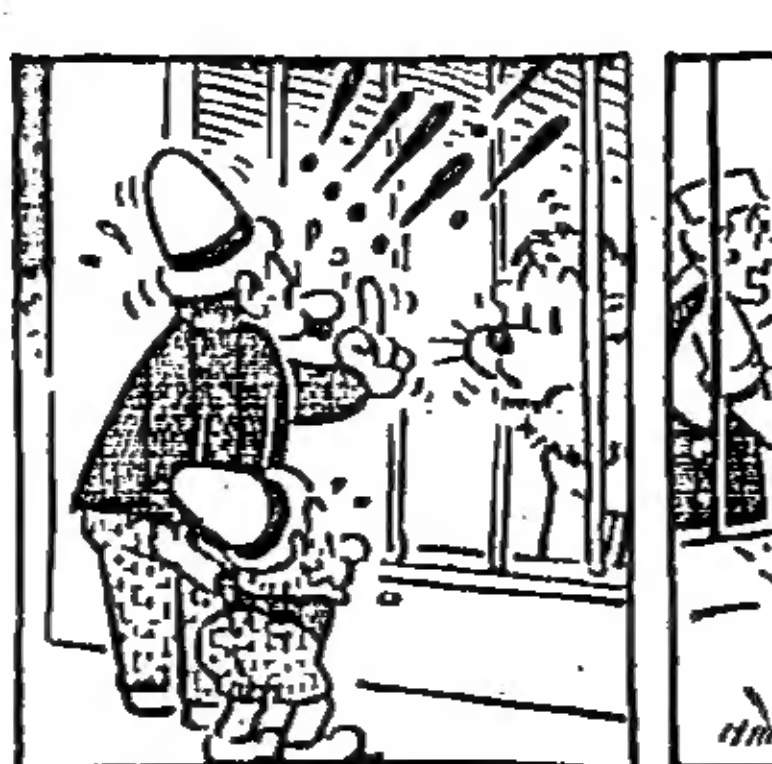
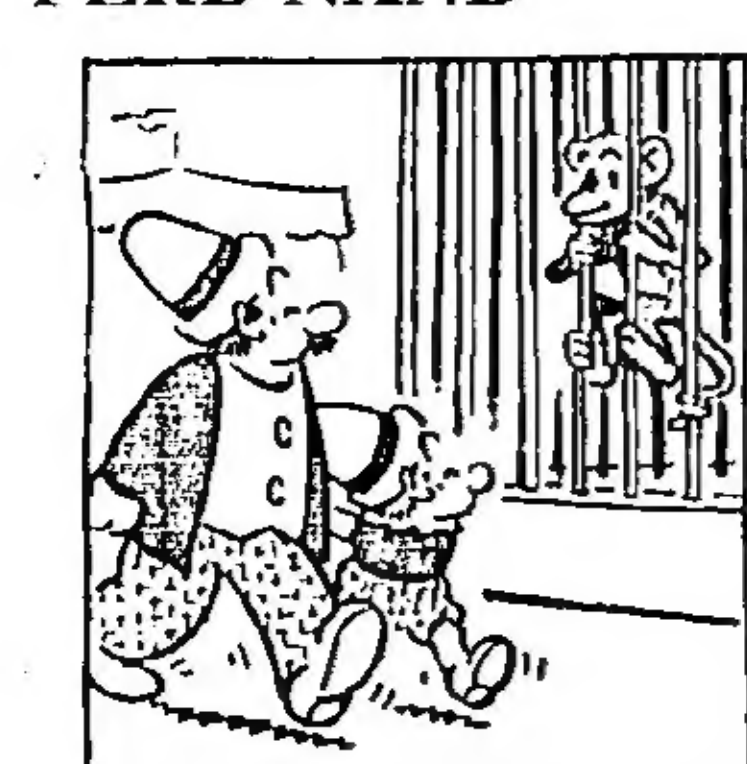
### SOCCER

Youth Soccer League: Rangers v Kitcher (CH) 8.30 pm.

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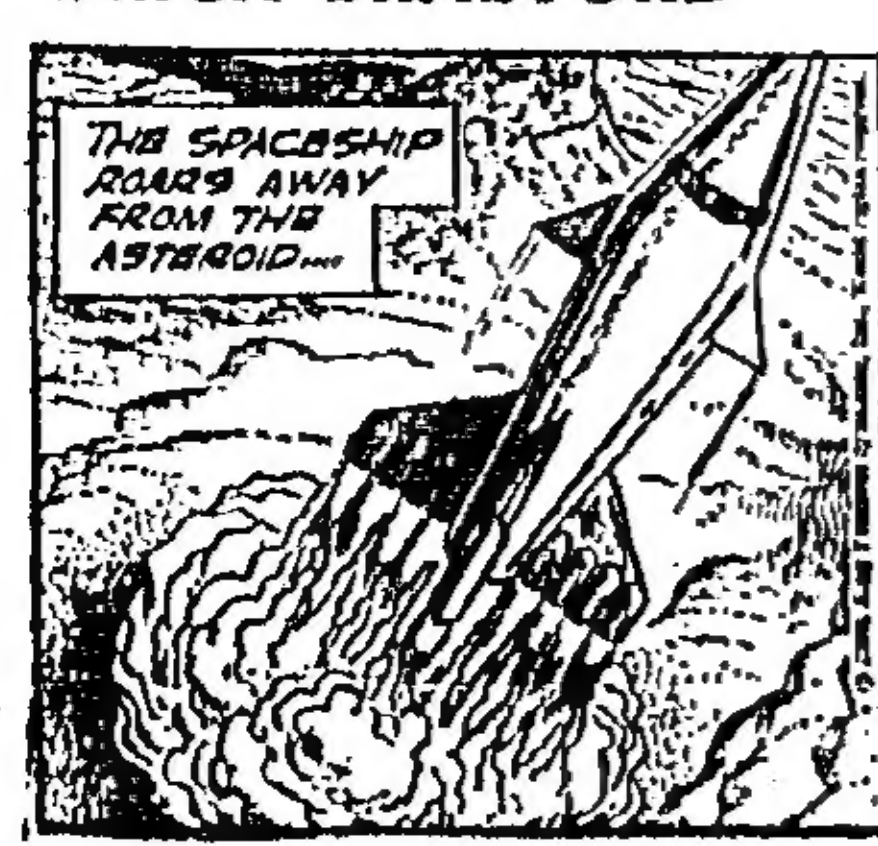


### NANCY



By Ernie Bushmiller

### BRICK BRADFORD



By Paul Norris

## English football faces its biggest crisis

By ARCHIE QUICK

Firmani, Charles, Greaves, Law, Hitchens. The drift to Italian Soccer continues. Where will it end? What can the Football League do? Next August when the 1961-62 season is due to commence the game in England will face its biggest crisis—a three-pronged one.

A strike is imminent, star players will be missing in the line-up on the day of the big kick-off, dozens will be unemployed and the remainder will either not have re-signed for their clubs or will be dissatisfied with their wage terms. There is also the longer-term problem of the break-up of the national side because of the departure of two great forwards Greaves and Hitchens.

The World Cup series in Chile is due at the end of the season and already England team manager has a dilemma on his hands. His carefully collected and highly successful team is in danger, for no matter what the millionaire bosses of the Italian clubs may say it is difficult to envisage their releasing Greaves and Hitchens for duty in South America. They soon clamped down on John Charles doing any such thing for Wales.

### Added significance

So the early season International against Wales and Ireland, the Inter-League matches, the friendly with Austria and the second "leg" of the World Cup qualifying tie with Portugal will take on added significance.

It is vital that a reconstructed team be put together at once and given training together. Johnny Byrne, of Third Division Crystal Palace, will be an important cog in the fresh plans which will have to be laid. He will have to assume the mantle of either Hitchens or Greaves as a striking force at inside forward or centre forward. A second goalgetter will have to be grafted into the side. With Johnny Haynes the brains of the attack, a second ball-player like George Eastham is out of the question. So there is a "top" going a-begging for a forward who quickly catches the Selec-

## Outsider wins Europe's richest race

Paris, June 25. Balto, a 100-8 outsider, today won the \$47,000 Grand Prix De Paris, the richest race in Europe, at Longchamp.

Balto, ridden by Maxime Garcia, won this one mile seven furlongs event for three-year-olds by four lengths from the 2-1 favourite, Match, who was runner-up in the French Derby.

The winning owner, M. Andre Rueff, collects \$32,100.

The race, in which there were 18 starters, was an all-French affair, the British entry Phil 11 and the German horse Whist having been scratched after the final callover.

### LARGE BETTING

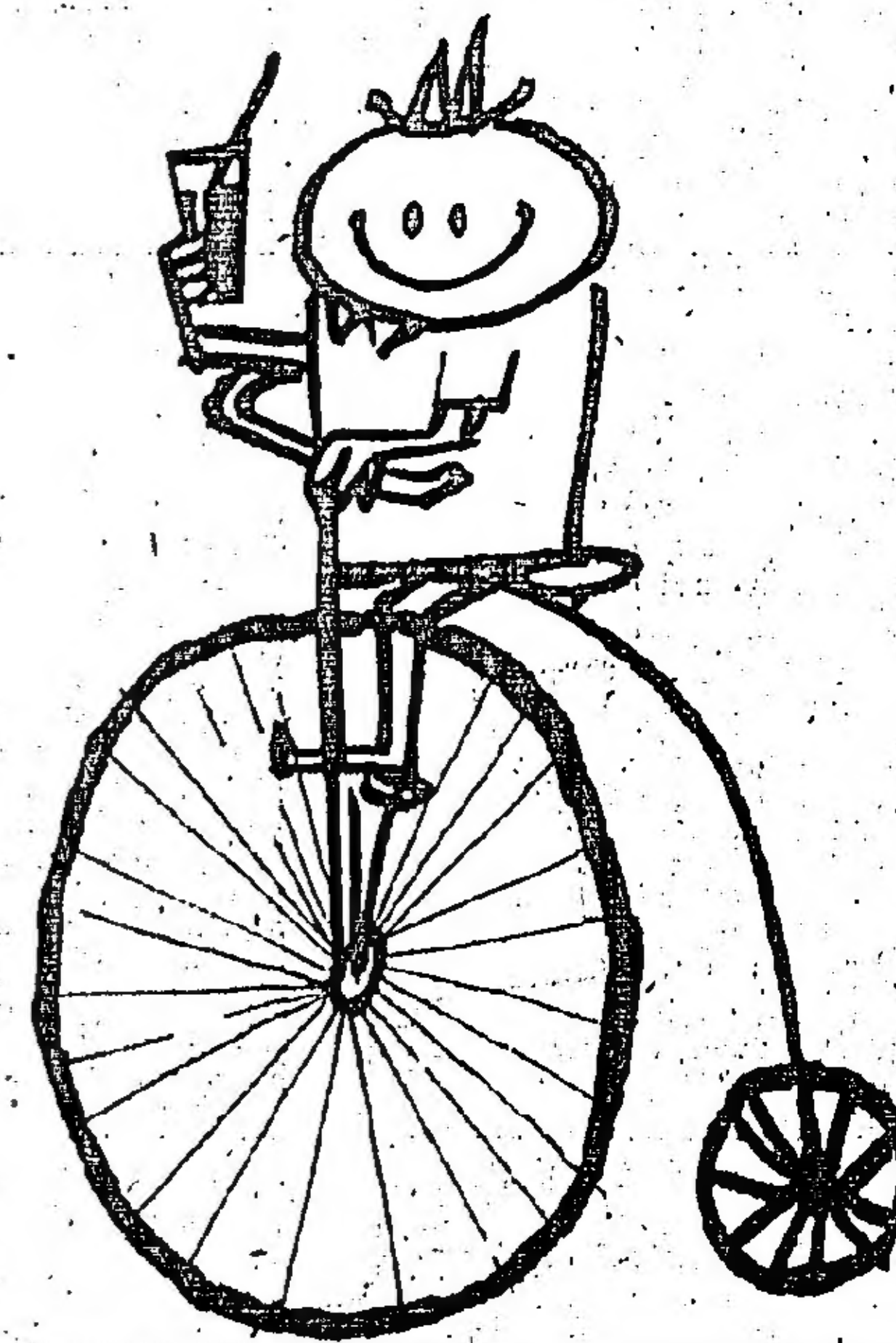
The runners were backed to a tune of over £1,000,000 on the state-run betting organisation, and sweepstake prizes in the national lottery total £1,380,000.

Third today was Granadero (Bernard Marguerite), half a length behind Match, who was ridden by Fred Palmer. Fourth, a further two lengths away, was Rely On Me (Maurice Larraun).

Balto, by Wild Risk out of Bouclette, gave Garcia his second win in this race. Trainer Maxime Bonaventure also prepared the 1951 and 1959 winners.

Rely On Me led from the start and kept ahead nearly all the way to the final bend.

At the half-way mark Balto was not among the leading nine horses, but as the runners entered the straight he shot into the lead and finished an easy winner.—Reuter.



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## Youth pleads not guilty to charge of murder

### BATTLES OF YPRES REMEMBERED

Ypres, June 24. British and German veterans of the first world war battles of Ypres yesterday joined in honouring their dead on the battlefield near here.

The Ypres Salient Circle of Whitstable, Kent, arranged the meeting with the 22nd Reserve Army Corps of Berlin. The British party included the band of the first battalion, the Buffs and an officer and seven cadets from Canterbury.

Both groups then went to lay wreaths at the graves of British and German soldiers killed in the Ypres battles.

Last night they both attended the ceremony of the last post, which is sounded every day at sunset at the British War Memorial here.

### Governor visits Marine Office

The Governor, Sir Robert Black, visited the headquarters of the Marine Department and the Government slipway at Yau-mat this morning.

The Governor was accompanied on his inspection tour by the Director of Marine, Mr J. P. Hemitt.

At the Marine Department headquarters in Connaught-road, Sir Robert met members of the staff.

The Governor then visited the slipway at Yau-mat, where he saw a number of vessels undergoing overhaul.

Later, Sir Robert inspected the offices and workshops, the school and the powerhouse.

### Church takes on sideline to raise cash

London. To raise funds, a vicar and his church council have launched out into the insurance business.

Regular worshippers and property owners in the parish will be asked to place their insurance with a company which the vicar and council represent.

And all agent fees and commission they earn will be passed on to St George's Church, Leicester.

Said the Rev Kenneth Middleton, 32-year-old vicar of St George's, "The idea of me and the church council taking part in big business is so novel it has never occurred to me to approach the bishop about its propriety."

"I cannot believe that there will be any objections to our scheme."

Explaining the scheme in the parish magazine, church warden Mr Kenneth Watson writes: "We are now official agents for an insurance company. By taking out all your future insurance policies with this company you will indirectly be making a most worthwhile contribution to the church's income."

"This is one way of donating to the church without actually paying out any extra money." Added Mr Watson: "It is too early yet to say what the results will be. But we don't expect to get a large income from our efforts."

Said an official of the company they represent: "There are bodies like trades unions and Government departments which have become agents in the past but I cannot recall a vicar and a church council launching out this way."

Said a rival insurance company: "We don't anticipate losing much business by this unexpected competition. Insurance is a personal matter like choosing your grocer or your tailor and I cannot believe many people will be persuaded to switch companies."

## VICTIM IS SAID TO BE HIS YOUNG COUSIN

A 19-year-old man, Kou Tak-ming, pleaded not guilty this morning at the Criminal Sessions to a charge of murdering his 10-year-old cousin on April 1 in a stream in Tsun Wan.

The body of the boy was found beneath a pile of rocks by policemen on April 5.

Mr Dennis Remedios, Crown Counsel, addressing Mr Justice W. A. Blair-Kerr and a jury of four men and three women, described how the decomposed body of the boy, Tsui Wai-wing, was found, and how the accused was subsequently charged.

He said that the boy and his mother, Kou Ling-chun, were living at 74, Matsui-wei-road, third floor, and that the accused is Kou Tak-ming's nephew.

Accused and the boy used to be very friendly and accused very often spent the night at his aunt's house.

On April 1, accused went to the boy's house. Only the amah and the boy were there, Mr Remedios said.

At about 1.30 pm, the boy and accused ate a meal. After lunch, they played together, and a little while later accused told the amah that he was leaving.

Although she was aware accused left the house, she could not tell whether the boy left with him, Mr Remedios continued.

Some time after 2 pm, a 12-year-old friend of the boy, by the name of Wah Chai, saw the boy in the company of accused near the Gospel Church, Hung-hom.

Wah Chai greeted the boy, and he smiled back.

That was the last time that anyone acquainted with the boy saw him alive, Mr Remedios said.

When she could not find the boy on her return, the mother conducted a search together with the amah.

That evening the two women went to scale defendant, who was living at Tsun Wan. Together the three reported the boy's disappearance to the Hung-hom Police Station.

Accused was interviewed by the police, and at one time he became "angry and abusive", Mr Remedios recalled.

Then on the night of April 5, accused went to the Yau-mat Police station where he told a corporal that he knew the whereabouts of the boy.

The accused then led a search party to Sam Dip Tam, Tsun Wan. There accused told the police that the boy was beneath a pile of rocks by a stream.

The police dug the rocks up and discovered the corpse of the boy.

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On the same evening, the doctor said, he performed a post-mortem on the boy and found there were no external injuries except for some bruises on the scalp.

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## Tribunals hear three tenancy applications

Three new exemption applications opened simultaneously before Tenancy Tribunals this morning.

In the proceedings heard by Mr J. A. Anson, Tenancy Tribunal President concerning houses, Nos 321-325, Portland-street, Mongkok, more than 100 tenants had filed opposing applications and could not all be accommodated inside the Court.

Mr Jones said that those tenants unrepresented by Counsel were entitled first of all, to be present. He suggested that other tenants legally represented should be admitted in turn.

In this application brought jointly by Mr Liu Kwun and two women owners of the property, Mr Walter S. W. Hon of Hon and Co, spoke of settlements already completed, and these were confirmed subject to the Tribunal's approval.

Mr Lo Kwong Yau, architect, presented plans for the replacement of the 40-year-old tenements by a modern eight-storey structure costing \$330,000.

Sitting with the President were Tribunal members, Mr Chan Liu-chong and Mr A. E. M. Rafeek.

**SHAMSHUIPO HOUSES**  
Mr C. Q. Lim, Tenancy Tribunal President with members, Mr Tsao Yao and Mr C. F. Wood, heard an application brought by the Tsui On Land Investment Co., at which about 30 tenants appeared.

Mr F. H. B. Wong of C. Y. Kwan and Co represented the applicant and described the scheme prepared by Mr Steven S. L. Yue, architect.

This plans the redevelopment of the site occupied by Nos 212-214, Fuk Wing-street, Shamsui-po, by a new nine-storey block costing \$300,000.

**MONGKOK SCHEME**  
Another set of plans prepared by Mr Steven S. L. Yue were placed before Mr J. R. Oliver, Tenancy Tribunal President, and members, Mr W. W. C. Shewan and Mr M. L. da Rosa.

The Alpha Investment Co Ltd, owners of the property, propose to demolish the tenement, Nos. 32-34, Tai Mun-street, Mongkok, and erect on the site a nine-storey structure costing \$190,000.

Mr A. S. K. Lau of Lan, Chan and Ko, explained that the redevelopment would increase the floor space available from 6,000 square feet to 14,000 square feet.

The proceedings of the three applications continued until adjournments were ordered so that compensation negotiations could be discussed.

## Wedding cost to society

London, June 26. A Labour Member of Parliament is to ask the Home Secretary, Mr R. A. Butler, this week, how much the recent "society wedding" between the Duke of Bedford's heir and a London debutante, cost the state.

Mr Norman Dodds said that the extra police called out to handle the crowds and traffic at the wedding of the Marquess of Tavistock and Miss Henrietta Tarkenton, showed that titled and wealthy people received "preferential police treatment."

He branded the practice as "disgraceful" and added, "surely the police had enough on their hands chasing criminals instead of making such a fuss over this wedding."

The extra police were required because the wedding took place at the famous Church of St Clement Dane's in the Strand, at the peak of the rush hour.—China Mail Special.

## Bank branch opened

The tenth branch of the Canton Trust and Commercial Bank Ltd was opened this morning by Sir Tsun-nin Chau, the Managing Director.

The new branch is at Wuhu-street, Hung-hom, and the Manager is Mr Li Yum-nam.

A cocktail party was held later to mark the occasion.

## FUSILIER PLACED ON BOND FOR ASSAULT IN BAR

A 35-year-old Fusilier, John Thomas Johnson, who pleaded guilty to malicious damage and assault causing bodily harm, was bound over in \$500 on each charge by Mr K. A. S. Phillips at Causeway Bay Magistracy this morning.

He was ordered to pay \$35 compensation to a bar manager, Li Tang, and \$300 to the complainant, Chan Mau-lan, a fook of the Lucky Bar, at 189 Gloucester-road, ground floor.

Detective Inspector R. D. Carpenter said that the defendant had a drink at the Lucky Bar with a friend on the night of June 16.

The defendant later alleged that he lost a jacket in the bar and asked for compensation from the bar manager.

A quarrel ensued when the bar manager, Li Tang, refused to pay the defendant.

Johnson then smashed a chair against a glass case which contained 25 drinking glasses. Chan Mau-lan tried to stop Johnson, but Johnson hit him on the head. Chan was detained in hospital for several days.

Inspector Carpenter said that the damage amounted to \$35. Mr Phillips emphasised that conditional discharge on a bond did not mean that the defendant could get away from jail.

He said if Johnson should repeat the offence, he would be sent to prison.

It is alleged he had a radio receiving set, a radio transmitting set, a power unit, a Morse key and a set of earphones.

A second defendant, 28-year-old seaman Tang Cheong-fat, is charged with aiding and abetting Lee in the working of the radio communication station on the same day.

Lee and Tang appeared on bail of \$2,000 each. No plea was taken.

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From the Files

**25 years AGO**

June 1936

THE Cunard White Star Liner Queen Mary missed an Atlantic Record on her maiden voyage by only 42 minutes.

She arrived at Ambrose Light off New York, and "finishing point" of the blue ribbon course, at 9.30 am. Her official time from Cherbourg Breakwater (8,158 sea miles) was four days 12 hours, 24 mins. Her average speed for the voyage was 29.133 knots. The Normandie's record for the same distance is four days, 11 hours, 42 minutes.

Fog for 11 hours spoiled the Cunard giant's chance of a record. Her speed during that period was below 20 knots, and her run was nearly 100 miles less than that of the previous record day.

The Queen Mary's performance is regarded here (in New York) as leaving no doubt that she can capture the blue ribbon of the Atlantic at any time the Cunard officials wish her to do so and the weather is favourable.

A newspaper advertisement announces that a Chubb registered key ring, sold about 100 years ago, has been found and awaits delivery to its owner on calling at Chubb's heads office in Queen Victoria-street.

PROOF of the doubt still existing in the minds of many Germans on the all-important question under the present regime of "Am I an Aryan or a Jew?" is to be found in carefully drawn diagram with very simple descriptions contained in a new pamphlet which the Nazi authorities have published.

In this booklet, the nation is considered as divided into pure Germans, Jews and persons of mixed blood.

Only pure Germans—those who are not more than one-eighth Jewish—may be German citizens, entitled to enter the service of the Government, to vote, and generally to take part in civil life.

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## Amah who stole from European

An amah who stole foodstuff from her employer intending to send it to her sick mother in China, appeared before Mr Derek Cons at Central Magistracy this morning.

The 20-year-old woman, Ng Fung-tim, admitted having stolen yesterday from her European employer, Alice Ribbink, at Dodwell Mansions, Peak-road, a number of other articles apart from the foodstuff.

The stolen property valued at \$14.55, included five bottles of beer, one pound of milk powder, 1½ pounds of sugar, a bottle of orange squash, a packet of washing powder, one pound of starch and four empty bottles.

Another 31-year-old amah, So Lin-fong, was accused of receiving the stolen property from the first defendant. Ng Fung-tim pleaded guilty.

Mr Cons remanded both for seven days pending a probation officer's report.

Inspector A. F. Blair told the court that shortly after 12.30 pm yesterday, a policeman on duty near the Peak Tram area saw a second defendant carrying a paper bag which contained all the stolen articles. When questioned, So said she obtained all the articles from Ng.

Ng admitted stealing the things from her employer adding that her mother was ill in China and she needed assistance.

"Some of the food stuff was to be sent to China," Insp Blair added.

Insp Blair informed that her mother had been discharged by her employer as soon as the offence came to light.

The stolen articles were ordered to be returned to the owner.



**Carlsberg**



On the ball with the beer...

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